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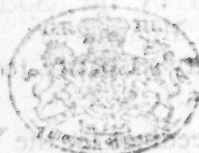
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“ Whoever wishes to become a Member of the
Society for promoting Christian Knowledge, or to make
any enquiry concerning it, is requested to write
to the Rev. Dr. GASKIN, *Secretary to the*
Society, Bartlett's Buildings, Holborn, London, who
will give him every necessary information and
direction.”

ACTS X. 38.

— WHO WENT ABOUT DOING GOOD.

IT is one great and peculiar excellence of the Christian Religion, that it proposes to our observance, the most complete system of Benevolence, that has ever yet been delivered to Mankind. For there is not a line to be met with in the Gospel, but what evidently tends to soften and humanize the heart: not a precept, but what is calculated to produce “peace on earth, and good will towards men.”

These precepts too are still further strengthened and enforced by the conduct of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.—That Jesus whose disciples we profess to be; and whose example therefore, as far as the frailties and infirmities of human nature will permit, we are bound to follow.

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He, we are told, out of pure love and compassion to mankind, left the bosom of his Father, "took upon him the form of a servant, and being found in fashion as a man, humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross *."

During the time too of his ministry on earth, his whole life was nothing else, but one continued scene of Kindness and Beneficence. For we are assured by those, who were eye-witnesses of these things, "that he went through all the cities and villages of Judea, teaching in their Synagogues, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness, and all manner of disease among the people †."

Thus therefore did our Blessed Lord and Master "go about doing good." Thus did he set us an example, that we should follow his steps.—Not indeed in the same manner, or to the same degree, for that

* Philipp. ii. 7.

† Mat. iv. 23.

would

would be impossible. Such power and goodness belongs only unto God. "It is too wonderful and excellent for us. We cannot attain unto it."

To do good however, as far as we are able; to keep alive in our breasts all the soft and tender affections, is a primary, a fundamental law, interwoven with the very first principles of our Nature; and wrought by the hand of God into our inmost frame and constitution.

I dare boldly appeal to the experience of every one here present, whether he be not naturally disposed to compassionate the sufferings and wants of others, as well as to feel his own:—Whether, unless some sordid consideration of prejudice, of interest, or the like, stop him in his course, he does not always hasten to alleviate the throb of anguish, and administer comfort to the wounded spirit. If he does not, he is a wretch indeed. He is not a Man, but a Monster. As truly a Monster, as if he had been born without the senses of seeing, hearing, or feeling.

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But now from this principle of universal love and benevolence, deeply implanted in the soul, a vast variety of correspondent actions will shoot forth, and spread abroad in every direction.

The practice of beneficence is indeed almost of infinite extent. And the opportunities, which we have of exercising it, continually arising out of the wants, the infirmities, and the calamities incident to human nature, are as various as the causes from which they flow. They call upon us at all seasons, and almost in all places. Our ability, however, of satisfying their numerous claims is, from the very nature of things, limited and confined. And therefore it becomes no small, no unimportant part of our duty, to attend principally to those, which, either from some peculiar circumstances of distress, or from some other more weighty considerations, deserve the preference.

The several relations, which every man bears in life, and of consequence therefore the several duties, which respectively arise from thence, may, I think,

not unaptly be represented by so many different circles; of all which the man himself, let his situation, circumstances, or abilities be what they will, is the common center. Those circles therefore, that are the smallest, and the nearest; that is, those that represent a man's parents, children, or other relatives, must of course feel the most of his influence, and power. Whereas those circles that are larger, and more distant; that is, those that represent a man's neighbours, countrymen, or fellow-creatures, can, comparatively speaking, receive but little. For every man's influence is in this respect like light, or heat;—the wider it spreads, the weaker it grows.

It has indeed been pretended by one of the disciples of the New Philosophy*, that it is the duty of every man at all times, and under all circumstances, to be influenced entirely by a regard to what he calls the General Good;—that this object demands the first, nay the only attention;—and that

* See Enquiry concerning Political Justice, by WILLIAM GODWIN, Vol. I. Book 2. Chap 2.

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on this altar of what he terms "justice, pure, unadulterated justice," all domestic and local relations ought to be sacrificed, as of little or no importance.

Now according to this scheme of things, supposing the life of your friend, your parent, or your child to be in danger, and at the same time that of another person, with whom you are entirely unconnected, or even unacquainted, yet if this latter person be possessed of some superior mental powers, by the exertion of which he may perhaps contribute more to the General Good than your friend, your parent, or your child can do, you are instantly to tear asunder all the tender ties, which nature, duty, and affection have wound round your heart: you are to save this unknown, this unconnected person at all events;—and are for him to give up all

Relations dear, and all the charities

Of father, son, and brother*.

How infinitely absurd, and ridiculous is this!—
We will imagine for a moment every member of

* Milton.

society, to set out upon the principle here recommended. What would be the consequence? Would the same degree of benefit be conferred upon mankind by these New Philosophers, as is actually done by those, who obey the dictates of Nature, Reason, and Revelation? Certainly not. For while the philosophic enquirer was determining who were the most worthy objects of his benevolence, innumerable evils would exist unprevented, or unremedied;—innumerable calamities would remain unalluviated;—and the lamentations of unheeded distress, would soon be heightened into reproaches, nay, even into execrations against him, who could sit down calm and composed amidst surrounding scenes of wretchedness and woe, coolly investigating where it would become him best to exercise his dormant powers of kindness, and beneficence.

How contrary to this are the dictates of Nature; which has wisely provided that the tie should be drawn closest, where we have the greatest power and means of doing good. How infinitely preferable to this wild, this visionary scheme, is the
benevolence

benevolence of the Gospel; which exhorts us, "as we have opportunity to do good indeed unto all men; but especially unto them, that are of the household of faith *." Which tells us "that if any provide not for his own, and particularly for those of his own house or kindred, he hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel †."

If a man exerts himself diligently in promoting the happiness of that circle in which he is placed, the connections of society are so interwoven with each other, that he cannot fail of producing the greatest sum of happiness, of which an imperfect state is capable. If therefore we labour to do the will of God in this respect, let us do it in the station in which he hath placed us; and not assume to ourselves a fanciful elevation of position, from whence we shall be apt to overlook many important duties, which lie immediately within our reach, and which would naturally excite our first attention.

* Galatians vi. 10.

† 1 Tim. v. 8.

These claims too are all of such a nature, that they cannot but be immediately felt and acknowledged. Need I seek for an instance? Cast but your eyes around you. Behold these Children of the household of faith. And then ask your own hearts, Whether any cold Philosophy should damp the affection, which they excite within you? Whether any idle speculative notion should persuade you to overlook them, while you are considering, whether some more magnificent object of General Benevolence may not somewhere exist, at an immense distance, to rival them in the regard they now claim from your minds.

Not that it is my wish, or design, to let their claim go uninvestigated. With the blessing of God it shall now be done. And it will, I trust, be found, that every sound principle of reason conspires with the most amiable affections of the heart, to establish its validity, and to increase its energy.

It is nothing less than injustice in the extreme, to suppose of any one, that his affections are not

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most deeply interested in the present, and future welfare of Children. The very dictates of nature call forth such affections in every mind, which is not become callous, and selfish. But whoever has been taught by Revealed Religion, the inestimable value of every human soul; whoever has been encouraged by the Divine Promises, to look forward to the reception of millions into glory, through the merits of our Saviour, must consider the preservation of that innocence, the cultivation and improvement of those good dispositions, and the production of that holiness, "without which no man shall be admitted to see the Lord," as objects of the highest concern to every one, who would save himself, and be instrumental to the salvation of others.

Mankind, in proportion as they have been attached to the Christian Religion, have been always careful to instill its principles betimes into the tender minds of children. And the most formidable enemies of the Gospel, particularly Julian, the Apostate Emperor, could devise no means more probable of extirpating Christianity from the earth,
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than by abolishing those schools, in which its divine doctrines were taught. They well knew how powerful, and how permanent, the influence of first impressions is always found to be. And they argued soundly when they concluded, that it would always be strongest, when the principles themselves were most perfect. In the case of Christianity, therefore, they were well aware, that nothing less than keeping children in utter ignorance of those principles, could prevent them from becoming so much attached to their religion, as never to resign the glorious hopes which they derived from it, in consequence either of the threats of authority, or all the violences of uncontrouled tyranny.

Besides, children have in the strongest manner been recommended by our ever Blessed Lord, to the especial regard of his faithful disciples. His own affectionate and tender conduct towards them, gives an irresistible influence to his commands on this point. For we are told*, "that when on a certain

* Mark x. 13, &c.

occasion they brought young children to Christ, that he should touch them, and his disciples rebuked those that brought them, Jesus was much displeased, and said unto them, Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is kingdom of God." And it is added, "He immediately took them up in his arms, put his hands upon them, and blessed them." What amazing kindness, and condescension! Their innocence, their helpless state, the evils which await them in future life, the dangers both temporal and spiritual to which they are exposed, powerfully excited the affections of Him, "who is the Lord of mercy, and the God of all comfort."

Add now to this, that our Blessed Lord not only expressed his own tenderness and affection towards children in the strongest manner, but also most solemnly declared, "That it is not the will of our Father which is in heaven, that One of these little ones should perish *."

* Matt. xviii. 14.

Happy

Happy is it therefore for That nation, who in obedience to the will of God, thus authoritatively declared by his Son, exerts every effort of wisdom and benevolence, to prevent the destruction of helpless and unprotected innocence. And surely now it is not too much to say that this great, this glorious end, under the divine blessing, is best effected by a truly Christian education; which comprehends a vast variety of acts of benevolence, both on the part of those who preside over it as directors; and of those, to whom its conduct is intrusted.

The body, as well as the mind, is to be formed to habits of industry, of virtue, and of piety. The neatness and decency of the person, are of the utmost importance to the preservation of the purity of the mind. For daily experience shews us, that vice prevails most easily and most generally over those, whose bodies are suffered to exist in a state of sordid and contemptuous neglect.

Habits

Habits of mind too are of such importance, that the introduction and cultivation of good ones forms a most essential part; nay in fact, may with great propriety be said to comprehend the whole of education. If indeed the introduction of such habits be neglected, knowledge becomes only a dangerous instrument, which by those of undisciplined minds, will be used not to maintain, but to destroy the interests, and happiness of society.

The truth of this observation cannot, I think, but be acknowledged, especially in these times, when it is evidently the object of so many perverse and wicked men, to turn against society itself all the powers, which the poor derive from its benevolence: and to excite them to rebel against God, and those superiors, to whom they are indebted for the preservation of life;—for support,—for instruction;—in short, for every thing that can protect them from the most abject ignorance and misery in this world, and prepare them for eternal enjoyments in a better. This is done by converting that education, which was given by the bountiful hand of
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Christian charity, into an engine of corruption; and so making "that, which should have been for their wealth, become to them an occasion of falling *."

One would almost imagine, that the founders of the EXCELLENT SOCIETY, under whose patronage these charitable institutions have so long, and so properly been placed, had been endued with a sort of prescience; inducing them to prepare antidotes against the malignant writings which now abound, long before they issued forth from the dark abodes of Atheism and Infidelity, to poison the minds of the young, and inexperienced. But it is hardly to be conceived, that the most gloomy imagination could ever have entertained any idea, to what excess the corruption would extend.

Is it not shocking to reflect, that every one of these children, when they first step abroad into the world, will perhaps find men, of more ability, than

* Psalm lxi. 23.

honesty,

honesty, standing ready, as it were, at the very gates of the places, where "they have been trained up in the way they should go," to excite in them doubts concerning every sacred truth, with which their tender minds have hitherto been seasoned? Their danger also increases with their years. For when time shall have matured their strength, and qualified them for the exertion of daily labour, they will even then scarcely be able to proceed to the exertion of it, without finding their paths strewed with those diabolical falsehoods, which are recommended by the specious, but mischievous doctrines of Independence:—of Equality;—of Rights free from all obligations of duty;—and every other monstrous principle, which gratifies the pride, and the natural depravity of the human heart*.

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* How active, how indefatigable the enemies of the Cross of Christ have been, not only in Great Britain, but also in Ireland, will evidently appear from the following particulars. "Have we not seen for some time past, a regular systematic diffusion of Atheism through the land,—societies deliberately formed for the purpose,—their united talents and treasures *charitably* employed to reduce the abstruseness and the bulk of ancient blasphemies within

Such are the dangers, to which every one of these yet innocent children now before you is exposed; under the shade of that ominous darkness, which, like the gloom of the widely destroying storm, has long lowered over the Christian world: and to guide them through which they still look up to you for those beams of evangelical light, with which their infant minds were, through the divine goodness, and your benevolence, originally irradiated.

within the apprehension, and the purchase of the multitude,—and thus a system of diabolical retail (as it were) established; by which even a pennyworth of Atheism is ready prepared for the poor,—the very infant furnished with his *Primmer of Infidelity*,—and the mendicant enabled to pick up the poisoned morsel on the *highway*." Magee's Association Sermon, preached in Dublin, on the 5th of May, 1796.

Add to this, what is said in the *British Critic* for March, 1798, p. 266. "It is a fact, unhappily too notorious in this country to need any additional testimony, that short and popular atheistical tracts have for some time back been circulated through every part of the kingdom, but especially the north, with a degree of system and zeal, which have scarcely ever been exceeded; and that they have not only been sent abroad at prices so reduced, as to make them accessible to all, but have been distributed amongst the peasants, and *literally scattered along the highways*, by persons especially employed to travel through the country for this very purpose."

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If ever it be allowable to conclude from the conduct of pious individuals, that they have been favoured with the ordinary influences of God's Holy Spirit, in proportion as their light has shone before men, we may by the strictest parity of reasoning conclude, that such influences have in a large measure been vouchsafed to THE SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE. Blessings of the most distinguished kind have increased its prosperity. And Heaven itself seems to have encouraged its efforts to extend more and more the sphere of its exertions. Of these exertions too it is but truth and justice to declare, that they have hitherto been directed with consummate wisdom, and continued with unremitting perseverance.

Whoever, in any situation, co-operates with the Society in the pursuit of its great objects, has reason to hope for a portion of that blessing, which hath hitherto attended its endeavours. If we labour together to protect and encourage those, who are intrusted with the instruction of the ignorant, either at home, or in foreign parts, we have reason to en-

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tertain an humble hope, that neither our labours, nor our prayers for their acceptance, will be in vain. If we endeavour to set a good example, or to deliver good precepts to those, to whose charge the instruction of children is more immediately committed, we have good right to expect, that they will thankfully accept, and studiously avail themselves of our care and attention, exerted in their favour, as well as in the favour of those intrusted to their management.

There certainly is no description of persons, who deserve more eminently every honour and advantage which the public can bestow, than those who labour in the great work of education*. And in times like the present, when *peculiar*, but it is to be

* Non is solus reipublicæ prodest, qui tuetur reos, & de pace belloque gense, sed qui juventutem exhortatur, qui virtute instruit animos, qui ad pecuniam luxuriamque cæsi ruentes prensat, ac retrahit; & si nihil aliud potest, certe moratur. An ille plus præstat, qui inter peregrinos & cives jus dicit, quam qui docet juventutem, quid sit justitia, quid pietas, quid patientia, quid fortitudo, quantum bonum sit bona conscientia?

Seneca de Tranquill. c. 3.

hoped through God's mercy, only *temporary* difficulties are superadded to their arduous task, the service demands a still higher degree of principle and perseverance; and will, if faithfully performed, both claim, and ultimately receive, a more splendid reward*.

Having stated this, I think myself bound in duty to represent from this place to those, who appear before me in that respectable character, how, standing as they do with regard to these children in the place of parents, they should cherish in their favour all those tender affections, which that relation generally inspires. It cannot for a moment be imagined, that persons actuated by such worthy motives, can forget the indispensable duty of inculcating upon the minds of their pupils, that love of order which is the great distinction of a social being,—that

* Quod munus reipublicæ afferre majus melius ve possumus, quam si docemus atque erudimus juventutem? his præsertim moribus atque temporibus, quibus ita prolapsa est, ut omnium opibus refrenanda ac coercenda sit.

Cicero. 2. de Divina, n. 4.

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supreme reverence towards Almighty God;—that steadfast attachment to religion both in faith and practice;—that decent and dutiful respect to superiors;—that profound regard for the laws and constitution of our country, which distinguishes those, who are sober minded, and “disposed to walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing; being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God *!”

If I could suppose that there could exist *one* person intrusted with this most weighty charge, who could abandon the principles of duty; or *one*, who could pervert his influence over the minds of these children to the purposes, which the *enemies* of religion and order would approve, I should think that the spectacle *now* before him would fill his mind with compunction, and recall it to an apprehension of the just judgments of God, and the deserved detestation of mankind.

* Colos. i. 10.

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But I can suppose no such things of you, my brethren, because from the manifest effects of your labours, and the co-operation of them with mine this day *, "it is meet for me to think this of you all. And therefore I have you in my heart, inasmuch as both in the defence, and confirmation of the gospel, ye all are workers together with me."

But as for you, My Children †, (for on this day, I think, I have some right to call you Mine) if the advice of One, who knows the feelings of a Parent, if the advice of One, who is himself a Pastor, and who is truly anxious for your soul's health, can claim your attention, hear, I beseech you, and obey for God's sake, and for your own, every sacred precept that is delivered unto you. Cherish in your hearts the most lively sentiments of gratitude

* Philip. i. 7.

† What were the feelings of the audience, when they saw at this part of the Discourse between Six and Seven Thousand Children, who were seated in and round the Dome of St. Paul's, *instantaneously* arise, and listen with the most marked attention to the Preacher, may be much more easily imagined, than described.

and respect towards your patrons, and benefactors. Be assured that all who are here present, came hither for the purpose of imploring on your heads the favour and blessing of God. Remember, that while you continue innocent, you are sure of the protection and intercession of your divine Redeemer. And take care that you do not by perverseness, by idleness, or by inattention, forfeit his inestimable love. Let *this* be your constant Prayer to our Almighty Father, "Shew thou me the way that I should walk in, for I lift up my soul unto thee *." And if this be your petition; if such be your pious desires, I am authorized to say unto you, in the words of our Blessed Saviour himself, "Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom †." Which that he may do, God of his infinite mercy grant, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* Psalm cxliii. 8.

† Luke xii. 32.

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THE SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE, were, for many Years, engaged in carrying on such Designs, as they judged might promote the Interests of true Religion, and the Honour of Almighty GOD, by whose Blessing this good Work has been continually prospering in their Hands; but, finding that their Designs were not so generally known as they could wish, and consequently not so much encouraged as it was presumed they would be, when further known, they resolved not only to publish an Account of them, but also to communicate to the World, from Year to Year, their Proceedings, and the State of their Affairs.

THIS SOCIETY consists chiefly of SUBSCRIBING, and partly of CORRESPONDING Members; who, before they can be chosen, must be recommended in the *Form N^o I.* in the *Appendix*. Of the former, you have a complete List, under the same Number, in the *Appendix*. They subscribe such annual Sums as every one thinks proper, towards supporting the Expences of the Society; and have their regular Meetings, in which all Business, relating thereunto, is transacted. And as most of these, when this Society was first formed, lived in or near *London*, they were then, and until *A. D.* 1727, called RESIDING Members. The latter are such Persons, in *Great-Britain* and *Ireland*, and other Protestant Countries, as are chosen to correspond with the Society, on Purpose to acquaint them with the State of Religion in their Neighbourhood; to suggest such Methods of doing Good as occur to them; to distribute Bibles, with such religious, as well as useful Books, as shall be approved of, and recommended by the Society; and to remit any occasional Benefactions, which they are pleased to contribute themselves, or collect from well disposed Christians.

But for the better understanding the Nature and Designs of this Society, it is thought convenient to premise a short Narrative of its Rise and Progress.

1698. — It was about the latter End of the Year 1698, when a few Gentlemen formed themselves into a *Voluntary Society*: And as such, they with Unanimity and Zeal went on together in promoting the real and practical Knowledge of true Religion, by such Methods as appeared to them, from Time to Time, to be most

The Original
of the Society.

most conducive to that End, till towards the Conclusion of the Year 1701; when, at their Instance, a CHARTER was obtained from King WILLIAM III. whereby all the then Subscribing Members of this Society, with other Persons of Distinction in Church and State, were Incorporated, for the better carrying on that Branch of their Designs, which related to the Plantations, Colonies, and Factories beyond the Seas, belonging to the Kingdom of England.

1701.

BUT their CHARTER being limited to *Foreign Parts*, and the Business of that Corporation being hitherto confined to the *British Plantations in America*, most of the Original Members of our *Voluntary Society* still continued to carry on, in that Capacity, their more extensive Designs for advancing the Honour of GOD, and the Good of Mankind, by promoting Christian Knowledge, both at Home and in other Parts of the World, by the best Methods that should offer. They are therefore a Society distinct from that Corporation, and are known by the Name of THE SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE.

Of the Incorporated Society for Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts.

The Incorporated Society being limited to the British Plantations, the Original Members continue as a Voluntary Society.

THEIR principal Methods were the same as they had been before. The FIRST was to procure and encourage the erecting of CHARITY-SCHOOLS, in all Parts of the Kingdom: and, that those Schools might answer the true Purposes, for which they were erected, the Society have not been wanting (in their Correspondence with such of their Members as have been concerned in the Support and Management thereof) to recommend, at all Times, that, together with Religious and useful Instruction, Care should be taken, and all proper Means used, to inure the Children of the Poor to Industry and Labour, that so they may become good Christians, loyal and useful Subjects,

Charity-Schools erected.

and be willing, as well as fit, to be employed not only in Trades or Services, but also in Husbandry, Navigation, or any other Business, that shall be thought of most Use, and Benefit, to the Public. With these Views, the Society printed, and dispersed, such a Set of Rules, for the good Order and Government of these Schools, as had been approved of by the Archbishops and Bishops, who directed that the same should be observed, within their respective Dioceses. What Care they have taken, and what they have done, in these Particulars, will appear from N° II. in the *Appendix*.

Bibles, Prayer-Books, &c. dispersed.

ANOTHER Method was to disperse, both at Home and Abroad, Bibles, Prayer-Books, and divers Sorts of Religious Tracts: and accordingly they have, by the Assistance of their Members, dispersed an incredible Number of them, in such a Manner as, they have Reason to hope, has tended to the great Increase of the Knowledge and Practice of our holy Religion. These Books and Tracts (of which there is a Catalogue in the *Appendix*, N° III.) are to be had, by *their own Members*, on the Terms there set down.

THESE are the General Designs of this Society: and they have hitherto been enabled, by their own annual Subscriptions, and the Legacies, or other casual Benefactions of well disposed Persons, to raise a Fund sufficient to carry them on successfully, from Year to Year, at a very considerable Expence: and they still trust to the Blessing of GOD, and the Zeal of their Members, that such good Works will never fail to *flourish* and *abound*, for lack of liberal Supplies from charitable Christians.

1710.

BESIDE these general Designs, the *Society* undertook, in the Year 1710, the Management of such Charities,

rities, as were, or should be, put into their Hands, for the Support and Enlargement of the **PROTESTANT** Protestant Mission to East-India, at Tranquebar. *Mission*, then maintained by the King of *Denmark* at *Tranquebar* in the **EAST-INDIES**, for the Conversion of the Heathens, in those Parts. Accordingly, they, from Time to Time, assisted the Missionaries there, with *Money*, a *Printing Press*, *Paper*, and other Necessaries, till the Year 1728; when, upon a Proposal made by the Reverend Mr. *Schultz*, one of the *Danish* Missionaries, to remove to *Fort St. George*, and there begin a new Mission, for the Conversion of the Heathens at *Madras*, the Society, trusting to the Goodness and Blessing of Almighty **G O D**, engaged for the Support of the same, though at an Expence, that did then far exceed their Ability; which Expence has been since greatly increased, by an Addition of Missionaries, as well as the Enlargement of the Mission to *Cudulore*, near *Fort St. David*, another *English* Settlement; by the Erection of a Mission and School at *Calcutta* in *Bengal*, for the Instruction of Children in Writing, Reading, and the Principles of Christianity; and, lately, by the Establishment of another Mission, at *Tirutschinapally*, the Capital of the Kingdom of *Madura*, an inland Country in *East-India*; which has since then been extended to *Tanjore*. However, the Society cheerfully rely upon the same Wise and Gracious Providence, which has hitherto wonderfully blessed this, and all their other Undertakings, to raise up such a true Christian Spirit, as will abundantly supply all their Wants; such a Spirit, as shewed itself in the late Reverend Mr. *Ziegenbagen*, German Chaplain to His Majesty, and the late Professors *Francke* and *Freylinghausen*, of *Hall* in *Saxony*, and animates their worthy Successor the Reverend Professor *Schultz*, who

1728.

At Madras.

1737.

At Cudulore.

1758.

At Calcutta.

1766.

Tirutschinapally.

who has kindly promised every Assistance, in his Power, towards carrying on so pious and glorious a Design. The present State of this Mission may be seen in the *Appendix*, N° IV. together with an Account of the Benefactions received, at the End of N° V.

1720.

New Testaments, Psalters, Catechism, and Abridgment of the History of the Bible, printed in Arabick.

IN the Year 1720, the Society extended their Regard to the Greek Church in *Palestine, Syria, Mesopotamia, Arabia, and Egypt*. To this End, they published Proposals for printing here, with a new Set of Types, the *New Testament, and Psalter, in Arabick*: and were enabled, by the Blessing of God, on the Recommendation of the Bishops, joined to the Charity and Zeal of their own Members, to procure an Edition of above 6000 *Psalters*, and 10,000 *Testaments*, as also of 5000 *Catechetical Instructions*, with an *Abridgment of the History of the Bible* annexed, at so large an Expence as the Sum of 2,976*l.* 1*s.* 6*d.*; to which His late Majesty King George I. was a bountiful Contributor, by a gracious Benefaction of Five Hundred Pounds. 5,898 *Psalters*, 4,246 *New Testaments*, and 2,248 *Catechetical Instructions*, with the *Abridgment* aforesaid, have been already sent to those Parts; into *Persia*, by means of their Correspondents, in *Russia*; or into *India*, through the Hands of their Missionaries; and the rest are reserved to be sent, as Occasion shall offer.

1725.

Workhouses recommended.

THE Society, having had the Pleasure to see the Success of the Endeavours used, in many Towns and Villages, for employing the Poor and their Children, by setting up WORKHOUSES, that nothing might be wanting to encourage the Prosecution of so useful a Design, they caused, in the Year 1725, a Collection of the best Accounts of such WORKHOUSES to be published; which was reprinted, with very large Additions, in 1733; in order to recommend

commend and forward, throughout the Kingdom, the Execution of the same Scheme, wherein a particular Regard ought always to be had to such an Education of poor Children, as may, by bringing them up in the Faith, Knowledge, and Obedience of the Gospel, prove, through the Grace of God, the most effectual Means to make them useful Members of the Community, as well as truly happy in the Life that now is, and in that which is to come.

IN the Beginning of the Year 1732, the Society, when they heard the melancholy Account of the Sufferings of the Protestants in *Saltzburg*, having first obtained His Majesty's Leave, resolved upon doing all that lay in their Power to raise Collections, for their persecuted Brethren. To this End, in June the same Year, they published *An Account of the Sufferings of the persecuted Protestants in the Archbishopsrick of Saltzburg, &c.* and afterwards published *A further Account of their Sufferings, &c.* with an *Extract of the Journals of M. Von Reck, the Commissary of the first Transport of Saltzburgers to Georgia, and of the Ministers that accompanied them thither, 1733.* These Accounts, being enforced by the generous Example of many Noble and Honourable Persons, as also by liberal Contributions, and earnest Exhortations from the Right Reverend the Bishops, and their Clergy, had, through God's Blessing, so good an Effect upon the Minds of charitable and well-disposed Christians, of every Rank and Denomination, that the Society, besides making many large Remittances to *Germany*, were enabled to send over to the *English Colony in Georgia*, in the Years 1733, 1734, 1735, and 1741, four Transports, consisting of more than two Hundred Protestant Emigrants, chiefly *Saltzburgers*; who, with two Mission-

1732.

Saltzburg
Exiles re-
lieved.

aries and a School-master, settled by themselves, at *Ebenezer*, upon such Lands, as were assigned to them, by the Trustees for establishing the said Colony.

THE great Expence of these Transports, and the many extraordinary Charges, that were necessary, for the Support and Encouragement of this Infant Settlement, together with 100 *l.* a Year, as a Salary for their Two Missionaries and School-master, had so far reduced the Charities, belonging to this Branch of the SOCIETY'S Designs, that they had nothing left to answer any future Wants and Contingencies, excepting 2500 *l.* New South Sea Annuities, which had been purchased, as a standing Fund, for paying the aforesaid Annual Salary, to the Missionaries and School-master. But the lowering of public Interest so affected the *Society*, that they knew not how to make good this *Annual Salary*, towards which they continued to receive little or no Assistance. Being desirous, however, that this good Work should not fail for Want of Support, they, out of the Money raised by the Annual Subscriptions of their Members, and other Benefactions, purchased 833 *l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* New South Sea Annuities to be added to that Fund; trusting, that the good Providence of GOD, which hath hitherto wonderfully blessed all their Endeavours, would raise them up Benefactors to supply what might, on this Account, be wanting towards the several Branches of their charitable Designs.

THE Revolution in *America* occasioning a Separation between that Country, and this, and the Rev. Mr. *Triebner*, the Society's last Missionary at *Ebenezer*, having experienced many Difficulties and Hardships, in consequence of his Loyalty to the

British

British Government, and being, at length, obliged to take Refuge in *England*, (where, in consequence of the Society's Recommendation, he has been kindly noticed by the Commissioners appointed to examine the Claims of *American* Loyalists,) this Mission is of course now discontinued; and the Funds which the Society had appropriated towards its Support, will henceforth be applied to the General Designs.

IN the Year 1743, the Society undertook a new Edition of the *Bible*, in the *Welsh* Language, with the *Common Prayer*, and *Psalms* in *Metre*: and finished it in 1748, by an Impression of *Fifteen Thousand* Copies, which they dispersed in the most prudent, useful, and extensive Manner they could. But, such was the Zeal and Thirst of good Christians, throughout *Wales*, for having the *Holy Scriptures* in that Language, (wherein alone they could possibly read them) that this Impression, large as it was, fell exceedingly short of the universal Demand, that was made for it. For which Reason, the Society, from a compassionate and Christian Regard to their Wants, put into the Press another Edition of the *Bible*, consisting of the same Number of Copies; as likewise of *Five Thousand* *New Testaments*, and as many *Common Prayer Books*, in the same Language. This second Edition was also, by the Blessing of God, happily finished, and distributed; since which Time, the Society, at the earnest Desire of the Natives of *Wales*, undertook a Third Edition of the *Old* and the *New Testaments*, in a large Octavo Size, with the Marginal References; and *Twenty Thousand* Copies were printed, with a larger Letter, than that which was used, in the former Editions.

Proposal for
Printing the
Bible, &c. in
the *Welsh*
Language.

1743.

1752.

1768.

tions. The Charge of this Impression was so great, that the Society, besides sinking all the Fund, which they had in Hand, towards that Design, incurred a Debt of above Two Thousand Pounds: and though the latter is at present discharged, it is expected that all Persons who apply for Books will be punctual and expeditious in their Payments for the same, that the Society may the sooner replace the Stock, in order to answer any future Demands of the Principality.

Trust for the
Benefit of the
Scilly Islands.

1752.

Schools o-
pened.

1765.

Proposals for
sending a
Minister to
these Islands.

1774.

In the Year 1752, the Society accepted a Trust from the Rev. Mr. *Hartshorne*, Rector of *Brosely, Salop*, who, commiserating the spiritual Wants of the Off-Islands of *Scilly*, made them an Offer of 200 *l.* towards sending a Deacon to *Tresco*, together with 50 *l.* towards erecting a Library, for his Use. But, that Sum being inadequate to the Purpose, nothing was done in this Business till the Year 1765, when, deviating a little from the original Plan, they opened Schools, in each of the Off-Islands. Sensible, however, that this was, by no Means, a sufficient Provision for the religious Instruction of the Inhabitants, the Society have since resumed the former Plan, and having published an Account of the State of Religion, in those Islands, they received such Encouragement and Assistance, that they carried their pious and charitable Purpose into Execution. They appointed the Rev. Mr. *Coxon* to this Mission; but his infirm State of Health would not permit him to continue long, in the Service of the Society. They afterwards engaged the Rev. Mr. *John Troutbeck* as their Missionary, who was removed from *Tresco*, to *St. Mary's*. The Rev. Mr. *William Davies* was recommended to the Society, as a proper Person to succeed Mr. *Troutbeck*; on whose Removal, in the Year 1796, the Rev. *David Evans*, M.A. was appointed to the Mission at *Tresco*. See *Appendix*, N^o IV. In

In the Year 1763, the Society gave out Proposals for printing Bibles, Common Prayers, and other Religious Books, in the Vulgar Tongue of the *Isle of Mann*; and, by the Encouragement they met with, were enabled to print and disperse, gratis, among the Inhabitants 2000 *Church Catechisms*, 1200 *Christian Monitors*, 2000 *Lewis's Expositions*, 1000 Copies of the *New Testament* in Octavo, 1550 *Common Prayers* in the same Size, and 1000 in Twelves. They have likewise printed 2000 Copies of the *Old Testament* in Octavo, together with the like Number of the *New*, the former Impression not having been by any Means sufficient to answer the Demands of the People; and intend to proceed in this charitable Work, and to supply the *Isle of Mann* with other good Books and Tracts, or with new Editions of such as have been already published for their Use. See *Appendix*, N^o IV.

Proposal for
Printing the
Bible, &c. in
the *Manks*
Language.
1763.

BEFORE we conclude this general Account, it may not be improper to mention some very considerable and standing Benefactions to this Society.

1. THE first is a most generous Legacy of Four Thousand Pounds, which was left to them by Mrs. *Elizabeth Palmer*, in 1728, and is still preserved entire in the *Public Funds*; viz. 2800 *l.* in *New South Sea Annuities*, and 1200 *l.* in *South Sea Stock*; the Interest of it only being, from Year to Year, applied to such Branches of their Designs, as most need it.

Mrs. *Palmer's*
Legacy of
4000 *l.* in
1728.

2. THE second is a free Gift in the Year 1734, by Mr. *Edwin Belke*, a Gentleman of *Kent*, deceased; who left to the Society Ten Acres of Land in *Romney Marsh*, in *Kent*, now let at 10 *l.* per Annum, free of all Taxes and other Deductions; and likewise 1050 *l.* New South Sea Annuities, towards defraying the Expence of distributing, gratis, Bibles, *New Testaments*.

The Gifts of
Mr. *Edwin*
Belke, a Gentleman of
Kent.
1734.

ments, and other Religious Books, under the Inspection of the Society.

1737. THE same Gentleman did also, in the Year 1737, give the Society *Eighty Pounds* New South Sea Annuities; the Dividends whereof are to be laid out, from Time to Time, (at the Direction of the Society) in Books for propagating the Christian Religion in the *East-Indies*, or other Parts of the World.

Rev. Dr.
Carter's
Legacy.

1746.

3. THE next is a Legacy of the Reverend Doctor *Thomas Carter*, formerly Vice-Provost of *Eton*, whose Executors (besides the Payment of 436 *l.* 3 *s.* 9 *d.* in Money) transferred to the Society 295 *l.* 5 *s.* 11 *d.* in New South Sea Annuities, and 110 *l.* in Bank Stock. The former of these Articles has been since made up 300 *l.* and the latter 200 *l.* for a Fund to answer, by the annual Interest thereof, the Uses directed by the Testator's Will, particularly that of printing or publishing, in the *Eastern Languages*, *Bibles*, *Old and New Testaments*, or what Part thereof the Society shall judge proper.

Mr. Perci-
wall.

1760.

4. The fourth is a Legacy of *Samuel Percivall*, Esq; of *Pendarves*, in *Cornwall*, of 1000 *l.* which was bequeathed to the Reverend Dr. *William Stackhouse*, and Mr. *James Dunn*, in Trust only and for the entire Benefit of promoting the Propagation of Christian Knowledge in foreign Parts: Which Sum, the said Trustees paid to the Society, on the above-mentioned Trust; and they have appropriated it to the Support of the Protestant Mission, in the *East-Indies*.

1762.

5. The fifth is a generous Benefaction of 600 *l.* from an unknown Hand, by the Secretary, which, according to the Direction of the Donor, has been laid out in the Purchase of 700 *l.* New South Sea Annuities, and added to the Fund for the Support of the *East-India Mission*.

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6. In the Year 1775, the Right Rev. *John*, Lord Bishop of *Winchester*, and the Rev. *William Buller*, (now Lord Bishop of *Exeter*) as Executors of the late Mrs. *Ann Maynard*, Spinster, having a Sum of Money to dispose of, in such Ways, as they judged most likely to promote the Glory of God, and the Welfare of Mankind, gave to the Society the Sum of 300*l.* towards the Support of the *Scilly Mission*. 1775.

7. In the Year 1786, the Rt. Hon. Lady *Godolphin*, as Executrix of the late Lord *Godolphin*, paid the Sum of 2000*l.* being his Lordship's Legacy, to be applied towards carrying on the Designs of the Society; which, by Direction of the Board, has been laid out in the Purchase of 2700*l.* 3 per Cent. Consols. 1786.

8. And in the Year 1791, *Peter Huguetan Van Vrybouver*, Lord of *Vrybouver*, in the Province of *Holland*, died at *London*, bequeathing to the Society, by his last Will, after the Payment of many other very considerable Legacies, two-thirds of the Residue of his personal Property. The Particulars of this important Will being submitted by the Executors to the Direction of the Court of Chancery, the Court made a final Decree in the Business, in the Year 1796, when Property in several of the public Funds was transferred to the Society's three Treasurers, in Trust for the *General Designs* of the Society, which together yields Dividends amounting to nearly 3,300*l.* per Ann. 1791.

THESE are the *general Designs* wherein the Society are at present engaged; the *particular State* whereof will be published every Year; and what it now is, together with their Receipts and Disbursements from the former Audit, 30 *March*, 1797, to the last Audit, 22 *March*, 1798, may be seen in the *Appendix*, N^o V.

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The TREASURERS *of this* SOCIETY.

ROBERT POOLE FINCH, D.D. Prebendary of *Westminster*, is Treasurer for all Benefactions to the Designs of the SOCIETY in general.

HENRY HUGH HOARE, Esq. Banker, in *Fleet-Street*, is Treasurer to the *Protestant Mission*, in the *East-Indies*.

FRANCIS GOSLING, Esq; Banker, in *Fleet-Street*, is Treasurer for all *Annual Subscriptions*, and also for all *Remittances* for *Packets* of Books sent to any Members.

GEORGE GASKIN, D.D. is Secretary to the Society.

Mr. JOHN ROBINSON, Clerk and Collector.

All Letters, on the Society's Business, are to be directed to the Reverend Dr. Gaskin, at the Society's House, in Bartlett's Buildings, Holborn.

It is hereby desired of all Members of the Society, or other Persons, who have any Business with the SECRETARY or CLERK, that they would come, or send to the Society's House, in *Bartlett's Buildings, Holborn*, between *Nine* in the Morning and *Two* in the Afternoon, within which Hours Attendance is given in the Office every Week-Day, excepting *Saturday*.

N. B. *Tuesday* is the only Day, whereon (according to the Standing Orders of the Society) their Committee meet to give Directions for answering the Letters received, and for ordering Books to be sent, that may be requested on the Terms of the Society.

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THE STANDING
RULES AND ORDERS
OF THE
SOCIETY
FOR PROMOTING
CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE.

Orders relating to the SOCIETY in general.

I. **T**HAT this SOCIETY be called by the Name of *The Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge*; and that they meet the first *Tuesday* in every Month, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, and enter upon Business precisely at Twelve.

II. THAT no Business shall commence, till the Devotions annexed to these standing Rules are performed; and that nothing be concluded on, till four of the subscribing Members are present; but in case that Number should not attend, that then the Members present act as a Committee.

III. THAT the Chair be filled Monthly by a Choice of one of the Members present, and that at each Monthly Meeting a Chairman shall be declared, who shall preside (except when a Bishop is present) at every Meeting of the Committee, during his Month; but in his Absence, his Place may be supplied by such Member, as the Society, or Committee, shall agree upon for that Day.

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IV. THAT

IV. THAT at every Meeting of the Society, the Minutes of the foregoing Meeting, and the Minutes of the intervening Committees, be read; all new Motions and Reports be made; and such Letters, or Abstracts of them, be read, as the Committee shall direct to be laid before the Society.

V. THAT when any Person, (excepting a Bishop) living within the Bills of Mortality, is proposed, either for a Subscribing or Corresponding Member, he shall be recommended by two Members at least, who shall certify his Qualifications, in the following Form, with the Year and Day of the Month, and their Names signified underneath.

“WE the Underwritten do recommend A. B.
 “to be a Member of the SOCIETY
 “for Promoting Christian Knowledge, and do verily
 “believe that he is well affected to His Majesty
 “King GEORGE, and his Government, and to the
 “Church of England as by Law established; of a
 “sober and religious Life and Conversation; and of
 “an humble, peaceable, and charitable Disposition.”

But if the Person proposed live at a greater Distance from London, it is sufficient that he be so recommended by one Corresponding or Subscribing Member. That every Proposal, thus signed, shall be read to the Members present at that Meeting of the Society, or Committee, (wherein such Person is first proposed) who shall be desired to inform themselves about the Truth of the same: and that this be done in like Manner at that Meeting of the said Society, when the Members present proceed to Election. But, no Election shall be proceeded to, until the Names of the Persons proposed to be Members

Members shall have been hanging up in the Committee-Room of the Society, three Committee-Days at least, or on one previous Day of General Meeting.

VI. THAT the Election of all Members (excepting Bishops) be made by Balloting; and if there shall be one fifth Part of the Members present dissentient, the Election shall not be deemed valid.

VII. THAT the Determination of such Questions as the Society cannot otherwise decide, be made by Balloting of the Subscribing Members only; and that when the Numbers in Balloting are equal, the Chairman shall have the casting Vote. N. B. Corresponding Members are desired to attend.

VIII. THAT no Person, chosen to be a Subscribing Member, be considered as such till he signifies his Acceptance, by paying a Sum (not less than one Guinea) to the Treasurer for the Time being; and by subscribing the same Sum, or more, annually, for carrying on the Designs of the Society; unless he give twenty Pounds at or before his Admission as a Member.

IX. THAT any Corresponding Member, who shall afterward subscribe a yearly Sum of one Guinea, or more, to the Designs of the Society, shall be deemed a Subscribing Member, without any new Election.

X. THAT no Sum exceeding forty Shillings be disposed of, (excepting for Books ordered upon the Terms of the Society) without considering the State of the Society's Cash: and that the Society do not enter into any new Article of Expence, which may occasion a Charge of twenty Pounds, or upwards, without giving Notice thereof in the printed Summons, (which are to be always sent out before the Meetings of the Society) to the Subscribing Members in, and about, *London*.

XI. THAT the Society will always decline the intermeddling with such Matters, as are foreign to their Design of *Promoting Christian Knowledge*.

XII. THAT the Society have an Anniversary Meeting of their Members, to dine together once every Year: and that the Day be fixed when the Report of the Audit is made.

XIII. THAT none of the *standing Orders* be repealed, suspended, or altered, till such Repeal, Suspension, or Alteration, has been proposed at two successive Meetings of the Committee; and not determined till the next Meeting of the Society, when there shall be at least ten of the Subscribing Members present; and that the same Rule be observed for revoking, or altering, any thing, that has been settled by Balloting.

XIV. THAT no Member of the Society, or any other Person, be at Liberty to transcribe, or take a Copy of any Minute of the Proceedings of the Society, or of any Letter or Papers, sent to the Society, without the Consent of the Board.

XV. THAT no Person be an Officer of the Society, who is not a Member of the Church of *England*; as by Law established: and that whenever any Vacancy shall happen, the Board shall not proceed to admit any Person to be a Candidate, till they have first satisfied themselves, that he is qualified as above directed.

XVI. THAT it be recommended to every Member to pray to Almighty God for a Blessing on the Consultations, and Endeavours; of the Society.

XVII. THAT when any Member is indisposed, and desires the Prayers of the Society, the Collect, or Collects, used in the Office for visiting the Sick, be added to their usual Form.

Orders

Orders relating to the General Committee.

I. **THAT** a General Committee of the Society's Members meet Weekly, on *Tuesday* Morning, by Eleven of the Clock; that Prayers be said, and Business be entered upon, precisely at Twelve; and that the said Committee consist of three, at least, of the Subscribing Members.

II. **THAT** they consider all References to them from the Society, and have Power to appoint Special Committees, and receive Reports from them, as also from the Committee for Receipts and Payments, or the Secretary; and that no Special Committee transact any Business, but what is referred to them by the Society, or the General Committee.

III. **THAT** they have Power to dispatch all Business not particularly reserved to the Society by their standing Orders.

IV. **THAT** the Committee make a Report of their Proceedings, at each Meeting of the Society: and that they, or any of their Treasurers, have Power to call an extraordinary Meeting of the Society, during the Interval of the stated Monthly Meetings, as Occasion shall require.

V. **THAT** the Letters to the Society may be read when two Subscribing Members only are present, who shall have Power to give Directions for answering them, and for sending any Packet that shall be desired, conformable to the Rules of the Society.

Orders

Manuscript, printed Book, or Paper, shall be referred to four other Members, who are to report *Orders relating to the Committee for Receipts and Payments.*

I. THAT the several Treasurers of this Society, for the Time being, be the Committee for Receipts and Payments; and that they keep distinct Accounts of all Subscriptions, Benefactions, and Receipts of any kind; and of their Disbursements on the Society's Account.

II. THAT their Accounts be audited every Year, within one Month before, or after *Lady-Day*, by such Persons, and on such Day, as the Society shall appoint. And that the State of such Accounts, with a List of all Arrears then due, be laid before the Society, upon the Report of such Audit.

Orders relating to Books.

I. THAT a printed List be kept of all the Society's Books and Papers, with the Prices, at which they are disposed of, to their Members.

II. THAT no Manuscript be printed, nor any printed Book or Paper bought, or reprinted, or recommended to the Society to be put into their List of Books, which are dispersed occasionally among the Members upon the Terms of the Society, but such as shall have been first approved in manner following; that is to say,

Every such Manuscript, printed Book, or Paper, shall be recommended to the Society by three Subscribing Members, who have read the same; and shall report it proper and requisite to promote the Designs of the Society: after which, every such Manuscript,

Manuscript, printed Book, or Paper, shall be referred to four other Members, who are to report their Opinion thereof, as soon as may be: and at the next General Meeting after their Report, it shall be determined by Balloting, whether such Book, or Paper, shall be admitted into the said List.

III. THAT if any Book, or Paper, approved of in manner aforesaid, shall be altered, or receive any Additions, such Book, or Paper, shall not be dispersed by the Society, till such Alterations or Additions shall have been considered and approved of by four Members, and pass a Ballot, in like manner as before.

IV. THAT no Book, or Paper, received by the Society, of which they have the Property, be reprinted without a new Order.

V. THAT any Book, or Paper, read, examined, and approved by the Committee, and afterwards agreed to by the Society, may be printed and dispersed, as the Society shall think fit, without passing the Forms abovementioned.

VI. THAT the Sermon preached at the Anniversary Meeting of the Children educated in the Charity-Schools, with the Account of the said Schools, and the Abstract of the Society's Proceedings; and the Sermon at the Anniversary Meeting of *The Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts*, with the Abstract of their Proceedings, may be dispersed, without such Perusal and Examination as aforesaid, provided the Committee shall approve of the same.

Orders

Orders relating to Packets.

I. **T**HAT to every new Subscribing and Corresponding Member, be sent a Copy of the printed Account of the Society, and of the standing Rules and Orders, to inform them of its Constitution and Designs.

II. **T**HAT any Subscribing or Corresponding Member, desiring a Packet of the Society's Books, may be furnished with the same, according to the Regulation agreed upon *Anno 1720*, viz. The bound Books at prime Cost in Quires, the Society being at the Charge of Binding; and the Stitched Books at half Price.

III. **T**HAT no Book or Paper be, at any Time, put into the Society's Packet, but by Consent of the Society or their Committee.

Orders relating to the Secretary.

I. **T**HAT the Secretary keep a fair Copy of the Proceedings of the Society and Committees, in a Book or Books for that Purpose.

II. **T**HAT he do make an Abstract of all Letters sent from the Society, and enter the same in a Book, or Books, to be kept for that Purpose: and also enter into another Book, Copies at large of such circular Letters as are sent to all the Members, and of such other Letters, or Papers, as the Society, or Committee, shall direct.

III. **T**HAT there be Indexes kept in distinct Books, viz. one of *Names* in the Abstract of Letters, and another of *Things* contained in the Minutes.

IV. THAT all Letters, on Account of the Society, be directed to their Secretary for the Time being; and by him brought to them, or the Committee.

V. THAT he do lay before the Chairman, at every Meeting of the Society, or Committee, a Copy of their *standing Orders*.

VI. THAT he likewise lay before them, at every such Meeting, an Account of what Business remains undetermined.

VII. THAT all the Orders of the Society for Books, to be furnished by their Bookseller for the Members, or other extraordinary Services, be signed by the Secretary, and returned by the Bookseller to the Society's Office, as his Vouchers, at the Audit.

VIII. THAT when the Society have approved of any Book to be distributed, and a Price is settled upon the same, the Secretary give Notice thereof to the Members in the Country, when they are occasionally written unto.

IX. THAT he do give Notice to every Subscribing and Corresponding Member, of his being elected; and that in his Letter of Notice to Subscribing Members, he do always transmit the seventh Order, relating to the Society in general.

X. THAT he once a Quarter lay before the Society a List of such as have been chosen Subscribing Members, but have not paid their Benefactions.

XI. THAT he do, after every Audit, enter fair into their Books, the several separate Accounts relating to

The Designs of the Society in general.

The Protestant Mission in the *East-Indies*.

Mr. *Belke's* Benefactions.

The Arabick Impression, &c. &c.

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XII. THAT

XII. THAT he do, at the Anniversary Meeting of the Society, lay before them an Abstract of the most material Transactions of the preceding Year.

Orders relating to the Clerk, Messenger, and Collector.

I. THAT he do give Timely Notice of every Meeting of the Society, to the Subscribing and Corresponding Members in, and about, *London*.

II. THAT he do attend all Meetings of the Society and Committees, to receive Orders and Directions.

III. THAT he do attend, in the Office, from Nine in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, every Day, excepting *Saturday* and *Sunday*, to dispatch the necessary Business of his Offices.

IV. THAT he give no Orders to the Bookseller, or Printer, or contract any Debts with the Society's Tradesmen, without an Order from the Board, or Leave from the Secretary.

V. THAT a Book of Packets, sent to the Members, be kept ready to be laid before the Chairman, at every Meeting, wherein shall be entered the Day when each Packet was ordered, and when, and how, sent, and the Value of it.

VI. THAT he do pay to the Treasurer for Subscriptions, whatever he receives on that Account, or for Arrears of Packets, as often as he shall have the Sum of 30 *l.* in his Hands.

VII. THAT on every *Tuesday*, he do pay to the Bookseller whatever he receives for Packets in the Course of the preceding Week.

VIII. That he have ready to lay before the Board, the first *Tuesday* in every Month, the several Books, wherein

wherein he keeps an Account of Bills sent out of the Country, and of Money received for Subscriptions, Benefactions, and Packets.

IX. THAT when any annual Subscribing Member of this Society shall be one yearly Payment in Arrear, he be informed of the same, by a respectful Message, or Letter, from this Society, to be sent within three Months after such Subscription shall become due, if in *London*, or *Westminster*, or within ten Miles thereof; and if at a greater Distance, then such Letter to be sent within six Months after the Subscription shall have become due.

X. That he do take care of the Books and Things that are in the Society's Store-Room, and keep an Account of what is delivered out by Order of the Society.

XI. THAT he do, once a Year, as soon as may be after the annual Account of the Society's Proceedings is printed, convey to all the Subscribing Members in and about *London*, the Anniversary Sermon, and Account of the Society, and likewise such Tracts as shall be ordered by the Board; and that he also send the same to all Subscribing, and Corresponding, Members in the Country.

APPENDIX.

Nº I.

*The Form of recommending MEMBERS,
according to the Standing Orders of the
SOCIETY.*

WE the Underwritten do recommend *A. B.*
to be a Member of
THE SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING CHRIS-
TIAN KNOWLEDGE; and do verily believe that He
is well affected to His Majesty King *GEORGE*,
and his Government; and to the Church of *England*,
as by Law established; of a sober and religious Life
and Conversation, and of an humble, peaceable, and
charitable Disposition.

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A.

- 1777 **R**IGHT Rev. Lewis, Lord Bishop of St.
Asaph.
- 1765 Mr. Thomas Adderley, Doctors-Commons, London.
- 1769 Rev. Townsend Andrews, LL.B. Prebendary of St. Paul's.
- 1775 Mr. Nicholas Baptist Aubert, Merchant in London.
- 1779 Rev. East Apthorp, D.D. Prebendary of Finsbury.
- 1781 General G. Ainslie, Devonshire Place, London.
- 1783 Paul Agutter, Esq; Aldermanbury, London.
- 1784 Rev. Robert Ashe, D.D. of Crewkerne, Somersetshire.
- 1785 Hugh Ackland, Exmouth, Devon.
- 1786 Mr. Thomas Atkinson, Huddersfield, Yorkshire.
- John Hiley Addington, Esq; Old Palace Yard.
- 1787 Rev. T. Ackland, M. A. Rector of Christ-church, Surry.
- Rev. John Alcock, M. A. Vicar General of Raphoe.

- 1788 Rev. *Richard Atlay*, M. A. Head Master of the Free Grammar School, in *Stamford*.
- 1789 Rev. *John Argles*, LL.B. *Tenterden, Kent*.
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 Mr. *Wm. Armittstead*, of the Bank of England.
- 1790 Rev. *J. Ashpishaw*, M. A. Rector of *St. Peter's, Nottingham*.
 Captain *Armstrong*, of *Percy-street*.
- 1791 *William Thorntton Astell*, Esq; of *Clapham*.
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 Rev. *G. Andrews*, M. A. Rector of *Zeal-Monachorum, Devon*.
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 Hon. Sir *William Henry Ashhurst*, Knt. one of the Judges of the Court of *King's Bench*.
- 1793 Rev. *Wm. Agutter*, M. A. Chaplain at the *Asylum*.
- 1794 Rev. *Wm. Antrobus*, B. D. Rector of *St. Andrew Undershaft*.
 Rev. *Geo. Anguish*, M. A. Prebendary of *Norwich*.
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- 1795 *Tho. Apperley*, Esq; *Plas Gronnow, near Wrexham, Denb.*
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 Rev. *John Andrew*, Rector of *Powderham, Devon*.
- 1797 Rev. *Wm. Alington*, B. A. *Gravelly, Herts.*
Jasper Atkinson, Esq; *Aldermanbury*.
- 1798 *Adam Askeu*, Esq; *Wimpole-street*.
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- 1751 Right Rev. *Charles*, Lord Bishop of *Bath and Wells*.
- 1755 Right Rev. *John*, Lord Bishop of *Bangor*.
- 1798 Right Rev. *Folliott*, Lord Bishop of *Bristol*.
- 1796 Right Hon. Lord *Belgrave*.
- 1752 Rev. *John Blyth*, Vicar of *Colehill, Warwickshire*.
 Rev. *Brook Bridges*, M. A. *Castle Hedningham, Essex*.
- 1753 Rev. *Samuel Baker*, Rector of *Kirby-Cane, Norfolk*.
- 1756 Rev. *Wilson Bewicke*, D. D. Vicar of *Bodenham, Heref.*
 Rev.

- 1760 Rev. *Richard Bullock*, D. D. Rector of *Stratbam, Surrey*,
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Jonathan Blundell, Esq; Merchant in *Liverpool*.
- 1764 Rev. *William Browne*, M. A. Rector of *Thorley, Herts*.
- 1766 Rev. *Walter Bagot*, M. A. *Blythfield, Staffordshire*.
- 1767 Rev. *Tho. Bedford*, Rector of *Philleigh, Cornwall*.
Rev. *Cha. Blackstone*, LL.B. Fellow of *Winton College*.
- 1768 *John Peploe Birch*, Esq; *Garnstone, Herefordshire*.
- 1769 *John Bowman*, Esq; *Craike, Durham*.
Rev. *Sam. Barwick*, Rector of *Burton Latimer, Northamp*.
- 1770 Rev. *Samuel Bulkely*, M. A. *Hatfield, Herts*.
Rev. *Ric. Brereton*, M. A. Rector of *Edgworth, Gloucestersh*.
Henry Bell, Esq; *Worlington, Norfolk*.
- 1771 *Philip Bowes Broke*, Esq; *Nacton, Suffolk*.
Rev. *Tho. Boyce*, M. A. *Great Waldingfield, Sudbury*.
- 1772 Rev. *William Blencowe*, M. A. Canon of *Wells*.
- 1773 *Thomas Berney Bramston*, Esq; M. P. of *Skreens, Essex*.
Rev. *Thomas Bowman*, Prebendary of *Lincoln*, and
Rector of *Craike, Durham*.
Robert Carr Brackenbury, Esq; of *Spilfsby, Lincolnshire*.
- 1774 *Bryan Broughton*, Esq; of the Treasury.
- 1775 Rev. *James Bayley*, M. A. Fellow of *Manchester College*.
- 1776 *William Banks*, Esq; *Winstanley, Lancashire*.
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- 1777 Rev. — *Bouyer*, Rector of *Willoughby, Lincolnshire*.
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- 1778 Rev. *William Bell*, D. D. Prebendary of *Westminster*.
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- 1779 Rev. *Ric. Budworth*, M. A. Rector of *High Laver, Essex*.
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 Rev. *Wm. Lloyd Baker*, M. A. *Stout's Hill, Gloucestersh.*
- 1782 *John Bacon*, Esq; First-Fruits Office, *Temple.*
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 Rev. *Andrew Burnaby*, D. D. Archdeacon of *Leicester.*
- 1783 Rev. *Henry Blacket*, M. A. Rector of *Boldon, Durham.*
 Rev. *Tho. Bateman*, M. A. Vicar of *Whaplode, Lincolnsh.*
- 1784 Sir *Tho. Crawley Bovey*, Bart. *Flaxly-Abbey, Gloucestersh.*
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- 1786 Rev. *Tho. Blyth*, M. A. Rector of *Elmdon, Warwicksh.*
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- 1787 Rev. *John Bell*, D.D. Chaplain to the Factory at Oporto, and Fellow of *St. John's College, Oxford*.
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 1788 Rev. *Tho. Biker*, M. A. Vicar of *Culworth, Northamp.*
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 Rev. *George Beevor*, M. A. Rector of *North Cove, cum*
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 Rev. *George Bingham*, B.D. Rector of *Pimper, Dorset*.
 Rev. *John Bishop*, D.D. Rector of *Mells, near Frome, Somers.*
 1789 Mr. *Brook Bridges*, *Red Lion-square*.
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 Rev. *Benjamin Blayney*, D.D. Regius Professor of He-
 brew, and Canon of *Christ Church, Oxford*.

- 1789 Rev. *William Borlase*, M. A. Vicar of *Madron*, *Cornwall*.
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Cambridge, and Chaplain to the Presidency of *Bengal*.
- 1790 Mr. *Thomas Breach*, *Bond-street*.
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Rev. *George Bridgman*, Rector of *Wigan*.
- 1791 Rev. *Thomas Booth*, M. A. Vicar of *Spilsby*, *Lincolnshire*.
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James's, *Westminster*.
Rev. *Cha. Bathurst*, M. A. Fellow of *New College*, *Oxon*.
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Bridport, *Dorsetshire*.
Hugh Barlow, Esq; M. P. *Lanrenny-Hall*, *Pembrokesh*.
Rev. *John Bull*, M. A. Curate of *Stanway*, *Essex*.
Rev. *Hugh Bailey*, Vicar of *Hanbury*, *Stafford*.
- 1792 Rev. *John Brown*, B. D. Vicar of *Thursby*, *Cumberland*.
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Rev. *Jos. Banks*, LL. B. Vicar of *Hemingford Grey*, *Hunts*.
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Rev. *Wm. Brackenbury*, Rector of *Halton Holgate*, *Linc*.
Rev. *Rob. Baxter*, B. D. Fellow of *Jesus College*, *Oxford*.
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- 1793 Geo. *Bridges*, Esq; *Mistley*, *Essex*.
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- 1793 Rev. *John Barton*, M. A. Vicar of *Sunning*, near *Reading*.
 Rev. *Harry Barnes*, B. A. Curate of *Stoke*, near *Coventry*.
 Rev. *J. F. Browning*, D. D. Rector of *Titchwell*, *Norfolk*.
 Rev. *John Leigh Bennett*, *Thorpe Place*, near *Egham*.
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 1794 *Thomas Browne*, Esq; *Crutched-fryers*.
 Rev. *Tho. Bancroft*, M. A. Vicar of *Bolton-le-Moors*, *Lanc.*
 Rev. *T. Breithweite*, D. D. Archdeacon of *Chester*,
 and Rector of *Stepney*.
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Irmingland, *Norfolk*.
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John Blackburne, Esq; *Liverpool*.
Robert Burton, Esq; *Lincoln*.
 1795 Rev. *James Burton*, D. D. Canon of *Ch. Ch. Oxon*, and
 Chaplain in Ordinary to his Majesty.
 Rev. *Edw. Bradford*, B. D. Rector of *Stalbridge*, *Dorset*.
 Rev. *Cha. Bell*, M. A. Curate of *Jaer*, *Buckinghamshire*.
 Rev. *Fred. Henry Barnwell*, *Lawsball*, *Suffolk*.
 Rev. *Paul Belcher*, Rector of *Heather*, *Leicestershire*.
 Rev. *Tho. Barne*, M. A. Rector of *Sotherley*, *Suffolk*,
 and Chaplain in Ordinary to his Majesty.
 1796 *John Brook*, Esq; of *Ansthorpe*, near *Leeds*.
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 Rev. *Wm. Higgs Barker*, B. A. Chancellor of *Brecon*,
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Thomas Bernard, Esq; of the *Foundling Hospital*.

- 1796 Rev. *Charles Ballard*, M. A. Vicar of *Chalgrove, Oxon.*
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- 1797 Rev. *Wm. Brown*, Rector of *Horton*, near *Colebrook, Bucks.*
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- 1773 Right Rev. *William*, Lord Bishop of *Chester*.
1792 Right Rev. *Edward*, Lord Bishop of *Carlisle*.
1790 Right Rev. *John*, Lord Bishop of *Chichester*.
1787 Right Hon. *Thomas*, Earl of *Clarendon*.
Right Hon. *James*, Earl of *Cardigan*.
1798 Rt. Hon. Lord Viscount *Cremorne*.
1750 Rev. *John Carlyon*, LL.B. *Truro, Cornwall*.
1756 Rev. *Thomas Coker*, Rector of *Deynton, Gloucestershire*.
1757 Rev. *Joseph Cuthbert*, M. A. Rector of *Bulvan, Essex*.
1763 Rev. *Sam. Cooper*, D.D. Minister of *Great Yarmouth, Norf.*
1766 Rev. *Jonathan Carter*, M. A. Rector of *Flempton with*
Hengrave, Suffolk.
1767 *John Courtney*, Esq; *Beverley, Yorkshire*.

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- 1768 Rev. *John Charlesworth*, M. A. of *Ossington, Notts.*
 1769 Rev. *Thomas Clare*, D. D. Rector of *Rugby, Warwickshire.*
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 1771 Rev. *Potter Cole*, M. A. Vicar of *Hawkesbury, Gloucestersh.*
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 Rev. *Pierrepoint Crompton*, M. A. *Frinshead, Kent.*
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 1773 Rev. *Thomas Cowper*, Chaplain of the *Tower of London.*
 1774 *Francis Creuzé*, Esq; *Beddington, Surry.*
 John Cartier, Esq; *Bedgebury, Kent.*
 1776 *Henry Courthope* *Campion*, Esq; *Danny, Sussex.*
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 Rev. *Tho. Cooks*, M. A. *Barbourn House, near Worcester.*
 1778 Rev. *William Calcott*, *Great Witley, Worcestershire.*
 Rev. *Henry Courthope*, M. A. Vicar of *Brenchley, Kent.*
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 1781 Mr. *John Charrington*, *Mile-End.*
 Rev. *Jos. Chapman*, D. D. President of *Trin. Coll. Oxon.*
 1782 Rev. Sir *William Clerke*, Bart. Rector of *Bury, Lanc.*
 Rev. *John Cranke*, M. A. Fellow of *Trin. Col. Camb.*
 Rev. *John Churchill*, B. D. Rector of *Chawley, Devon.*
 1783 Rev. *J. Clapham*, M. A. Vicar of *Giggleswick, Yorksh.*
 Rev. *H. Carter*, M. A. Rector of *Little Wittenham, Berks.*
 Rev. *Hen. W. Coulthurst*, D. D. Vicar of *Hallifax, Yorksh.*
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- 1784 Rev. Clement Cruttwell, Bath.
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- 1785 Rev. Roger Cocksedge, Rector of Whelnetbam, Suffolk.
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Ipswich.
- 1786 Rev. John Clutton, M. A. Prebendary of Hereford.
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- 1787 Rev. John Cooke, M. A. Chaplain of the Royal Hospital,
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Rev. Charles Crawley, LL.B. Rector of Stow, Northamp.
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Thomas Chipchase, Esq; Durham.
- 1788 James Clitherow, Esq; Boston House, near Brentford.
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- 1789 Rev. Tho. S. Curtis, LL. B. Rector of Seven Oaks, Kent.
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Rev. Thomas Crick, M. A. Rector of Little Tburlow,
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 Rev. *James Cowe*, M.A. Vicar of *Sunbury, Middlesex*.
- 1791 *William Constable*, Esq; *Burwash, in Sussex*.
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 Rev. *Geo. Owen Cambridge*, M.A. Prebendary of *Ely*.
 Rev. *George Cope*, M.A. Prebendary of *Hereford*.
- 1792 Rev. *Wm. Carpenter*, D.D. Prebendary of *Exeter*, and
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- 1787 **H**ON. and Right Rev. *Brownlow, Lord Bishop of*
Winchester.
 1780 Right Rev. *Richard Lord Bishop of Worcester.*
 1762 Right Hon. *Lord Willoughby de Broke.*
 1795 Right Hon. *Horatio, Lord Walpole, of Woolterton.*
 1763 *Rev. Rob. D. Waddilove, M. A. Dean of Rippon.*
Rev. Nathan Wetherell, D. D. Dean of Hereford, and
Master of University College, Oxon.
 1764 *Rev. Charles Weston, M. A. Prebendary of Durham.*
Mr. Joseph Wells, Crown Court, Cheapside.
Rev. Palmer Whalley, M. A. Rector of Acton, Northamptonsh.
 1769 *Rev. H. Whitfeld, D. D. Rector of St. Margaret, Lothb.*
 1772 *Rev. J. Willoughby, LL.B. Hutton, near Tadcaster, Yorksh.*
Samuel Wegg, Esq; Hart-Street, Bloomsbury.
Rev. Edward Walls, Spilsby, Lincolnshire.
 1773 *Rev. L. Wynne, LL.D. Queen Ann Street West, Cav. sq.*
Willoughby Wood, Esq; Thoresby, Lincolnshire.

Rev.

- 1774 Rev. *John Whitaker*, B. D. Rector of *Ruan Lanybarne*,
near *Tregony*, *Cornwal*.
Rev. *James Geo. Warner*, M. A. Rector of *Milton*, *Berks*.
Rev. *Ric. Williams*, M. A. Vicar of *Horton Kirby*, *Kent*.
1775 *Samuel Waring*, Esq; *South-street*, *Grosvenor-square*.
Rev. *Tho. Woodrooffe*, B. D. Rector of *Oakly*, *Surry*.
1777 *William Wilson*, Esq; of the *Minories*.
1780 Rev. *Thomas Wintle*, B. D. Rector of *Brightwell*, *Berks*.
Rev. *Henry Offley Wright*, *Mottram St. Andrew*, in
the Parish of *Prestbury*, *Cheeshire*.
1781 Rev. *Ed. Whitmore*, M. A. Rector of *Great Horwood*, *Bucks*.
Rev. *William Watkins*, Vicar of *Bucknell* in *Shropshire*.
1782 Rev. *Tho. Wagstaffe*, M. A. Rector of *Barley*, *Herts*.
Rev. *John Weddred*, B. D. Vicar of *St. John Baptist*, *Peterborough*, and Minor-Canon of the Cathedral.
1783 Rev. *Wm. Wrighte*, M. A. Clerk in Orders of *St. Martin's*.
Rev. *Tilly Walker*, M. A. Vicar of *Mears Ashby*, *Northamp*.
Rev. *R. Wharton*, M. A. Archdeacon of *Stow*, and
Rector of *Sigglesborne*, *Yorksb*.
1784 Rev. *Fra. Woodford*, M. A. Rector of *Ansford*, *Somersetsb*.
Mr. *David Pike Watts*, of the *Minories*, *London*.
Rev. *Edward Wilson*, D. D. Rector of *Asbury*, in *Suffex*.
Richard Willding, Esq; *Llanrhaid'r Hall*, *Denbighshire*.
Rev. *Edward Wilson*, M. A. Canon of *Windsor*.
Rev. *Ric. Walton*, Rector of *Wootton*, in the *Isle of Wight*.
1785 Rev. *Philip Woodhouse*, *Hingham*, *Norfolk*.
1786 *John Watkins*, Esq; *Warrington*, *Lancashire*.
William Wilberforce, Esq; *M. P. Westminster*.
Rev. *Henry Wilson*, *Kirby-Caree*, *Norfolk*.
Rev. *Basil Woodd*, M. A. Lecturer of *St. Peter's*, *Cornb*.
Lovelace Bigg Wither, Esq; *Manydown*, *Hants*.
Rev. *Osborn Wighte*, M. A. Rector of *Ponbury*, *Salop*.
Mr. *John Waring*, *Barnes*, *Surry*.
Rev. *Philip Webber*, M. A. of *Falmouth*, *Cornwall*.
1787 Rev. *Stephen White*, LL. D. Vicar of *Lenton* in *Linc*.

Rev.

- 1791 Rev. David Williams, Wroughton, Wilts.
 Rev. Henry White, Sacrist of Litchfield Cathedral.
 Rev. Thomas Wythe, M. A. Vicar of Eye, Suffolk.
 Rev. Tho. D. Whitaker, LL. B. Holme, near Burnley, Lanc.
 Rev. Cha. Wallington, M. A. Rector of Hackwell, Essex.
 Rev. Peter Williams, Vicar of the Cath. Church of Bangor.
 Nicholas Westcomb, Esq; Langford Grove, Essex.
 Rev. Geo. Watson, D.D. Rector of Rethbury, Northum.
 1792 Rev. Wm. Ward, Rector of Myland, Colchester.
 Rev. James Walter, B. A. Brigg, Lincolnshire.
 Rev. Geo. Williams, Lecturer of St. Ann's, Limehouse.
 Rev. Wm. Williams, M. A. Rector of Bishopston, Wilts.
 1793 Mr. Rob. Watkinson, Manningtree, Essex.
 Tho. Windle, Esq; Mile End Old Town, Middlesex.
 Rev. John C. Woodhouse, Donington, near Wolverhampton.
 Rev. John Williams, B.D. Rector of Branston, Northamp.
 1794 Rev. John Woolcombe, M. A. Briton Side, Plymouth.
 Rev. Rob. Walker, Rector of Shingham, Norfolk.
 Rowland Williams, Esq; Beaumaris, Anglesea.
 Rev. Ellis Wynne, B.A. Curate of Foclas Chapel, Denbigh.
 Rev. Tho. Willis, LL. D. Rector of St. George's, Bloomsb.
 Sir Jacob Wolf, Bart. Mellyfont Abbey, near Wells.
 Rev. Peter Williams, B. A. Rector of Lanrug and
 Llanberris, Carnarvonshire.
 Rev. Fra. Hyde Wollaston, M.A. Vicar of South Weald, Essex.
 Rev. Edw. Walsby, D.D. Prebendary of Canterbury.
 Rev. David Williams, Rector of Selworthy, Somersetshire.
 Mr. Thomas Wilkes, Blockley, Worcestershire.
 1795 Rev. E. Williams, Minister of Uffington and Battlefeild, Salop.
 Rev. John Wilgress, D.D. Eltham, Kent.
 Rev. Wm. Farley Wilkinson, M.A. Rect. of Needham, Norf.
 Rev. Henry John Wollaston, M. A. Chaplain in Ordinary
 to his Majesty.
 Rev. Rob. Wetherell, LL. B. Fellow of New Coll. Oxon.
 Rev. Sam. Wix, B. A. of Christ Coll. Camb.

Rev.

- 1795 Rev. *Ph. Wroughton*, M. A. Vicar of *Shabbington*, *Bucks.*
 1796 Mr. *William Wilson*, *Milk-street*, *London.*
 Mr. *Joshua Watson*, *Mincing-lane*, *London.*
 Rev. *Dawson Warren*, B. A. Vicar of *Edmonton*, *Midd.*
Samuel Waring, Jun. Esq; of the *Temple.*
 Rev. *John Whitmore*, M. A. Rector of *Polstead*, *Suffolk.*
 Rev. *R. Webster*, B. D. Rector of *Aston-le-Wall*, *Northam.*
 Rev. *T. Wright*, M. A. Rector of *St. Mary*, *Whitechapel.*
 Rev. *Tho. Williams*, M. A. Vicar of *Lanyadock*, *Carmarth.*
 1797 Rev. *John Wooll*, M. A. Curate of *Easton*, *Hants.*
James Woodbridge, Esq; *James-street*, *Bedford-row.*
 Rev. *William Whitelock*, M. A. *Queen's Coll.* *Oxford.*
 Hon. *Charles Godfrey*, Baron *Wolf*, LL. D. *London.*
 Rev. *R. C. Whalley*, Rector of *Horfington*, *Somerset.*
 Rev. *Edward Ward*, B. A. Chaplain to his Majesty's
Ship Formidable.
 1798 Rev. *Godfrey Woolley*, M. A. Vicar of *Hutton Buchell*,
Yorkshire.
 Rev. *John Williams*, B. A. of *St. Mary's Hall*, *Oxford.*
 Rev. *John James Watson*, M. A. Curate of *Epsom*, *Surry.*
 Rev. *John Williams*, M. A. Rector of *Meriton Magna*,
 and *Ashington*, *Somerset.*
 Rev. *W. B. Whitfeld*, M. A. Fellow of *St. John's Coll.*
Cambridge.
 Rev. *Francis Wrangham*, M. A. of *Trinity Coll.* *Camb.*
 Mr. *George Walker*, *Manchester.*
R. W. Wynne, Esq; *Garthewin*, *Denbighshire.*
 Hon. and Rev. *Gerard Wesley*, Chaplain in Ordinary to
 his Majesty.
 Rev. *Whitaker*, LL. B. Rector of *Barforth*, near *Leeds.*
 Rev. *William Wyatt*, M. A. Rector of *Framlingham*, *Suffolk.*
Robert Williams, Esq; Alderman of *London.*

Y.

- 1766 **T**HE Most Rev. *William*, Lord Archbishop of *York*.
 1785 Rev. *Duke Yonge*, M.A. Vicar of *Cornwood, Devon*.
 1787 Rev. *John Young*, LL.B. *Clapton*.
 1794 Mr. *Simon Andrews Younge*, Merchant, *Sheffield*.
 Rev. *Philip Yorke*, M.A. Prebendary of *Ely*.

Z.

- 1780 **R**EV. *Thomas Zouch*, M.A. Rector of *Scrayingham*,
Yorkshire.

N. B. Errata in this Catalogue, if communicated to the
 Secretary, will be corrected.

FOREIGN MEMBERS.

Time of
 Admission.

- 1762 **R**EV. *James Renaud Boullier*, Minister of the French
 Church at *Amsterdam*.
 1764 Rev. *John August. Urlsperger*, D. D. Senior of the Mi-
 nistry at *Augspurg*.
 1774 Rev. *Christian Lewis Gerling*, D. D. Senior of the Mi-
 nistry at *Hamburg*.
 1779 Rev. *Aaron Mathejus*, M. A. *Sweden*.
 1785 Reverend *John Ludwig Schultz*, Doctor and Professor
 of Divinity in the University of *Halle in Saxony*, and
 Successor to the late Reverend Professor *Freylingbau-
 sen*, in the Directorship of the Orphan-House.

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Time of
Admission.

1795 Her Royal Highness, the PRINCESS OF WALES.

A.

- 1797 **R**IGHT Hon. Lady *Louisa*, Countess of *Aylesford*.
 1773 Mrs. *Ashby*, *Haslebeech*, *Northamptonshire*.
 Mrs. *Alnutt*.
 1781 Mrs. *Allanfon*, *Grosvenor-Square*.
 1790 Mrs. *Maria Arden*, *Stockport*, *Cheshire*.
 1795 Mrs. *Allan*, *Mill Green House*, *Ingatestone*.
 1796 Mrs. *A. E. Ayliffe*, of *Surbiton Lodge*, near *Kingston*.
 Mrs. *Adderley*, *Hams*, *Warwickshire*.
 1798 Mrs. *Margaret Eliz. Arden*, *Longcrofts*, *Staffordshire*.

B.

- 1797 **M**OST Noble the Marchioness of *Bath*.
 1779 Right Hon. Countess of *Bute*.
 1769 Mrs. *Banks*, *Chelsea*.
 Miss *Banks*, ditto.
 1771 Mrs. *Bouverie*, *Tecton*, *Kent*.
 1772 Hon. Mrs. *Baillie*, *Mellerstain* near *Kelfo*, *Scotland*.
 1783 Miss *Barnston*, *Bath*.
 Hon. Mrs. *Boscawen*, of *South-Audley-Street*.
 1784 Mrs. *Peploe Birch*, *Garnstone*, *Herefordshire*.
 1787 Mrs. *Elizabeth Bagott*.
 Mrs. *Bertie*, *Devonshire-place*.
 1788 Mrs. *Margaret Balwin*, *Plaxtoole*, *Kent*.
 Lady *Bridges*, *Goodneston*, *Kent*.
 1790 Mrs. *E. Buckle*, *Upper Seymour-street*.
 Mrs. *Mary Bunney*, *Bath*.

Mrs.

- 1791 Mrs. *Jane Butts*, *Glemsford, Suffolk.*
 Mrs. *D'Arcy Boulton.*
 Mrs. *Blackwell*, *North Cerney, Gloucestershire.*
 Lady *Banks*, *Soho-square.*
 1792 Miss *Bourne*, *Ashford, Kent.*
 Mrs. *Sarah Beachcroft*, *Bloomsbury-place.*
 1793 Mrs. *Elizabeth Berkeley*, *Datchet, near Windsor.*
 Mrs. *Mary Bowles*, *Northaston, Oxfordsh.*
 1794 Miss *Brunette*, *Beverley, Yorkshire.*
 Mrs. *Bolton*, *Nottingham.*
 1795 Mrs. *Mary Bateman*, *Guilsborough, Northamptonshire.*
 1797 Mrs. *Mary Browne*, *Tullantire Hall, Cumberland.*
 Hon. Mrs. *Barrington*, *Cavendish-square.*

C.

- 1771 RIGHT Hon. Lady *Cremorne*, *Stanhope-street.*
 1787 Right Hon. the Countess Dowager of *Chatham.*
 1789 Right Hon. the Countess of *Chatham.*
 1794 Right Hon. Lady *Louisa Clayton.*
 1761 Mrs. *Elizabeth Coote*, *Rotherhithe.*
 1762 Mrs. *Cornwall*, *Chart Park, Surry.*
 1772 Mrs. *Gilbert Cooper*, *Thurgaton, Nottinghamshire.*
 1783 Lady *Cave*, *Upper Grosvenor-street.*
 Mrs. *Martha Cranmer*, *Nursling, Hants.*
 1785 Mrs. *Charlton*, *Ludford, near Ludlow.*
 Miss *Cave*, *New Norfolk-Street.*
 1787 Mrs. *Maria Cowper*, *Cole Green, Hartingfordbury.*
 Miss *Creuze*, *Beddington, Surry.*
 1790 Mrs. *A. Chamberlaine*, *Charlton, Kent.*
 1791 Mrs. *Elizabeth Clarke*, *Beeding, near Steyning.*
 1792 Miss *Clarke*, of *Tooting, Surry.*
 Miss *Sophia Clarke*, *Ditto.*
 Mrs. *Harriot Cowper*, *Overlegh, Chester.*
 Lady *Chambers*, *Somerset House, London.*

- 1794 Mrs. *Jane Clarke, Lower Tooting, Surry.*
1797 Mrs. *Coke, of Holkham.*
Hon. Mrs. *Cadogan, Wallingford, Berks.*

D.

- 1791 HER Grace the Duchess of *Devonshire.*
1788 Rt. Hon. Lady *Dundas, Arlington-street, Piccadilly.*
1794 Rt. Hon. Countess Dowager of *Darley, Hereford-street.*
Rt. Hon. Countess of *Darnley, Cobham Hall, Rochester.*
1764 Mrs. *Delamare, Clapton, Middlesex.*
1774 Mrs. *Diana Dashwood, Stanford-Hall, Notts.*
Mrs. *Ann Dashwood, Well-Hall, Lincolnshire.*
1776 Mrs. *Daubeney, North Bradley, Wiltshire.*
Mrs. *Dicey, Claybrook, Leicestershire.*
Mrs. *De Luc.*
1779 Mrs. *Douglas, St. Alban's, near Wingham, Kent.*
1785 Mrs. *Denward, Hardres Court, Kent.*
1786 Mrs. *Tyrwhitt Drake, Shardeloes, Bucks.*
1787 Mrs. *Dolben, Finedon, Northamptonshire.*
Mrs. *Docton, Plymouth.*
1788 Mrs. *Denison, Gay-street, Bath.*
1790 Mrs. *Elizabeth Dalton, Stanmore, in Middlesex.*
Mrs. *Elizabeth Dutens, Leicester-square.*
Mrs. *Duppa, Hackney.*
1796 Mrs. *Diana Dowdeswell, Grosvenor-place.*
1797 Miss *Magdalen Daubuz, Truro, Cornwall.*

E.

- 1773 MRS. *Eeles, Great Cumberland-street.*
1782 Mrs. *Elizabeth Ella, Newark, Nottinghamshire.*
1786 Miss *Edmunds, Worsbrough, Yorkshire.*
1796 Mrs. *Evans, Leominster, Herefordshire.*
Mrs. *Diana Edwards, Hertford-street.*
1797 Mrs. *Enser, Bath.*
Mrs. *A. Ewbank, Londerbro', Yorkshire.*

RIGHT

F.

- 1791 **R**IGHT Hon. Countess of Fortescue.
 1793 Right Hon. Lady Forrester, Bedgebury, Kent.
 Miss Fisher, Springfield, near Birmingham.
 1797 Miss Margaret Frank, Campsal, near Doncaster.
 1798 Miss Ann Finch, Goodnestone, Kent.
 Mrs. Jane Floyer, Stafford, near Dorchester, Dorset.

G.

- 1786 **R**IGHT Hon. Lady Gallway, Hill-street.
 1770 Mrs. Gold, Loughborough.
 1772 Mrs. Ann Gwatkin, Bath.
 1778 Mrs. Garnier, Wickham, Hants.
 Hon. Mrs. Grant, Hill-street, Berkeley-square.
 1791 Mrs. Gray, York.
 Mrs. Elizabeth Gough, Bryanstone-street.
 1792 Lady Grantham, Whitehall.
 Mrs. E. E. Gregory, Eltham, Kent.
 1793 Lady Graham, Whitwell, near York.
 1794 Mrs. Gosling, Lincoln's-inn-fields.
 1795 Lady Cath. Graham, Netherby, Cumberland.
 1797 Hon. Miss Charlotte Grimstone, Goramby, St. Alban's.
 Mrs. Gally, Great Russel-street.
 1798 Mrs. Mary Gratwicke, Danny, Sussex.

H.

- 1790 **R**IGHT Hon. the Countess of Harcourt.
 1795 Right Hon. Viscountess Dowager Hereford, Stan-
 way, Gloucestershire.
 1798 Right Hon. Lady Elizabeth Hatton.
 1766 Miss Harvey, Hinxworth, Herts.
 1774 Lady Herries, St. James's-street.
 1779 Mrs. Hacket, Moxhall, Warwickshire.
 1783 Mrs. Hatt, Faringdon, Berks.

- 1783 Miss *Hussey, Ashford.*
 1784 Mrs. *Humphreys, Claremount-hill, Salop.*
 1787 Mrs. *Mary Hervey, Canterbury.*
 Mrs. *Mary Hooper, Town-hall, Worcester.*
 1788 Mrs. *Hopkins, Windsor.*
 1790 Mrs. *Hutchings, Dittisham, in Devon.*
 Mrs. *Ann Holbeach, Farnborough, Warwickshire.*
 1791 Miss *Hannah How, Plymouth.*
 1792 Mrs. *Sarah Haws, Great Marlow, Bucks.*
 Miss *Eliz. Gorrington Harrison.*
 1793 Mrs. *Felicia Horne, Uxbridge.*
 Mrs. *Sarah Horsey, Sawbridgworth, Herts.*
 Mrs. *Higginson, Harley-street.*
 1795 Mrs. *Sarah Heathfield, Croydon, Surry.*
 Mrs. *Harris, of Hayne, Devonshire.*
 Mrs. *Hayward, Canterbury.*
 1796 Mrs. *Ann Hale, Ingsdon, Devon.*
 Miss *Charlotte Hussey, Ashford, Kent.*
 1798 Mrs. *Sarah Hayter, of the Close, Salisbury.*

I.

- 1787 **R**IGHT Hon. Lady *St. John.*
 1776 Mrs. *Ireland, Newark upon Trent, Notts.*
 1789 Mrs. *Iremonger, Wherwell, Hants.*
 1790 Mrs. *Elizabeth Jennings, Harlington, Bedfordshire.*
 1791 Mrs. *Johnson, Burleigh-fields, Leicestershire.*
 1792 Lady *Jones, of Cavendish-square.*
 Mrs. *Ann Jeffries, Worcester.*
 1793 Miss *Frances Jones, Bath.*
 1794 Mrs. *Jane Jobnes, Stafod, Cardiganshire.*

K.

- 1777 **M**RS. *Knightley, Grosvenor-Square.*
 1782 Miss *Kerridge, Whitton White House, near Ipswich.*
 1788 Miss *Keene, Charles Street, Berkeley Square.*

Mrs.

- 1789 Mrs. *Eliz. Knightley*, *Preston*, near *Daventry*.
1792 Mrs. *Martha Kilpin*, *Walthamstow*, *Essex*.
1795 Mrs. *Judith Kingsbury*, *Caistor*, near *Yarmouth*.

L.

- 1792 **R**IGHT Hon. *Anne*, *Baroness Lyttelton*.
1794 Right Hon. *Lady Lucas*, *St. James's Square*.
1783 Mrs. *Lawes*, *Brighton*.
Mrs. *Legard*, *Etton*, *Yorkshire*.
Mrs. *Lighbody*, *Liverpool*.
1784 Mrs. *Lonsdale*, *Badburham*, *Cambridgeshire*.
1788 Hon. Mrs. *Leigh*, *Stoneleigh Abbey*, *Warwickshire*.
1790 Mrs. *Lambe*, *Mountsfield*, *Rye*, *Sussex*.
Lady *Lloyd*.
1791 Mrs. *Leboop*, *Kensington Gravel Pits*.
1792 Mrs. *Lamplugh*, *Copgrove*, near *Borowbridge*, *Yorksh.*
1794 Mrs. *Eliz. Lechmere*, *Hanlay Castle*, *Worcestershire*.
1797 Mrs. *Long*, *Lincoln's-inn-fields*.

M.

- 1788 **R**IGHT Hon. *Countess of Mansfield*.
1797 Right Hon. *Lady Robert Manners*, *Grosvenor-square*.
1798 Right Hon. *Lady Vicountess Middleton*.
1781 Lady *Mordaunt*, *Walton*, *Warwickshire*.
Lady *Mill*, *Arlingham Court*, *Gloucestershire*.
Mrs. *Jane Marriott*, *Pershore*, *Worcestershire*.
1790 Mrs. *Hannah More*, the *Adelpbi*, *London*.
1791 Lady *Catharine Murray*, *Guildford-street*.
Mrs. *Master*, of the *Abbey*, *Cirencester*, *Gloucestershire*.
1793 Mrs. *Le Marchant*, *Bath*.
Mrs. *M Culloh*, *Lincoln's-inn-fields*.
Mrs. *Mills*, *Stratford Place*, *London*.
1794 Mrs. *Dorothy Monck*.
1795 Mrs. *Moore*, *Helfstone*, *Cornwall*.
1796 Miss *Milles*, *Queen-street*, *May Fair*.
Mrs. *Mytton*, of *Lythewood*, near *Shrewsbury*.

- 1796 Miss *Anne Mackilwain*, *Lymington*.
1797 Mrs. *Isabella Market*, *Luddesdown*, near *Rochester*.
Mrs. *Mary May*, *Bedford-square*.
1798 Hon. Mrs. *Marsham*, *Boxley*, *Kent*.

N.

- 1776 MRS. *Neville*, *Willingore*, *Lincolnshire*.
1793 Mrs. *Cath. Nicholson*, *Liverpool*.
1794 Mrs. *Sibella Neufville*, *Lymington*, *Hants*.

P.

- 1775 R IGH T Hon. Lady *Pelham*, *Stratton-street*.
1786 Right Hon. Countess *Paulet*.
1798 Right Hon. Lady *Maria Price*.
1772 Mrs. *Porter*, No. 24, *Gower-street*.
1785 Mrs. *Cath. Pennant*, *Upper Grosvenor-str.* *Grosvenor-sq.*
1788 Miss *Pares*, *Leicester*.
Mrs. *Anna Palmer*, *Wanstead*.
1790 Mrs. *Margaret Penrose*, *Carwethenack*, *Cornwall*.
1793 Mrs. *Mary Parry*, of *Ruabone*, *Denbighshire*.
1797 Mrs. *Elizabeth Peers*, *Lestwithiel*, *Cornwall*.
Mrs. *Catherine Powell*, *Castle Madock*, *Brecknockshire*.
Miss *Frances Dorothy Pender*, *Treliffick*, *Cornwall*.
1798 Hon. Mrs. *Pole*, *Hamover-square*.
Mrs. *Mary Judith Paulett*, *Hingham*, *Norfolk*.
Mrs. *Susan March Phillips*, *More Critchill*, *Dorset*.
Mrs. *Puget*, *John-street*, *Bedford-row*.

Q.

- 1793 Mrs. *Quicke*, *Paragon Buildings*, *Bath*.

R.

- 1771 R IGH T Hon. Countess of *Rothes*.
1786 Right Hon. Lady *Ralle*.
1753 Mrs. *Raitt*, *Huntingdon*.
1772 Mrs. *Rogers*, *Berkely*, *Somersetshire*.

Time of
Admission.

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- 1783 Mrs. *Arabella Rawdon, Chester.*
Mrs. *Ravenhill, Bath.*
1788 Dowager Lady *Rogers, Plymouth.*
Mrs. *Reed, Hackney.*
1794 Mrs. *Eliz. Rushbrooke, West Stow Hall, Suffolk.*
1797 Lady *Rooke.*
1798 Mrs. *Marianne Rooke, Lymington, Hants.*

S.

- 1796 HER Grace the Duchess of *Somerset.*
1775 Right Hon. Countess Dowager *Spencer.*
1791 Right Hon. Lady *Sherborne, Sherborne, Gloucestersh.*
1793 Most Hon. the Marchioness of *Stafford.*
1787 Right Hon. Lady *Sondes, Grosvenor-square.*
1771 Mrs. *Seale, St. Sidwell's, Exeter.*
1785 Mrs. *Mary Spooner, Olton-House, near Birmingham.*
Mrs. *Snow, Clipsham, Rutlandshire.*
1787 Mrs. *Catherine Sharpe.*
1789 Mrs. *Anna Maria Shipley, Twyford, near Winchester.*
1790 Mrs. *B. Spooner, Elmdon-House, near Birmingham.*
1791 Mrs. *Charlotte Selwyn, Bath.*
Miss *M. S. Saltonstall, Hillingdon, Middlesex.*
1794 Mrs. *Ann Papwell Smith, Bredon, Worcestershire.*
Miss *M. Smith, Hillingdon, Middlesex.*
Miss *Sheppard, Deham, Bucks.*
1795 Mrs. *Singleton, Lamb's Conduit Place.*
1796 Mrs. *Saltmarcbe, Saltmarcbe, near Howden, Yorkshire.*
1797 Lady *Stapleton, Gray's Court, near Henley, Oxon.*

T.

- 1772 MRS. *Tomlinson, Somerset Street.*
1783 Lady *Twysden, Jennings, Kent.*
1787 Mrs. *Trimmer, Brentford.*
1788 Hon. Mrs. *Talbot, Barton, Gloucestershire.*

Mrs.

- 1788 Mrs. *Twigge*, Derby.
 1794 Mrs. *Tighe*, *Glanville Lodge*, near *Andover*, *Hants*.
 1795 Mrs. *F. M. A. Totton*, *Depden*, *Essex*.
 Miss *Mary Tucker*, *Sealyham*, near *Haverford West*.
 1796 Mrs. *Mary Dorothy Torkington*, *Worcester*.

V.

- 1790 RIGHT Hon. the Countess of *Uxbridge*.
 1789 Mrs. *Vanfittart*, *Blackbeath*.
 1790 Mrs. *Elizabeth Unwin*, *Mansfield*, *Notts*.

W.

- 1791 RIGHT Hon. Countess of *Waldegrave*, *Navestock*, *Essex*.
 1764 Mrs. *Watson*, *New Norfolk-street*.
 1772 Mrs. *Wegg*, *Hart-street*, *Bloomſbury*.
 1776 Mrs. *Wood*, *Ware*, *Herts*.
 1782 Mrs. *Whetham*, *Kirklington*, *Notts*.
 1787 Lady *Wilson*, *Charlton*, *Kent*.
 Mrs. *Waller*, *Chesterton Hall*, near *Stilton*.
 Mrs. *Wordsworth*, *Wadsworth*, *Yorkshire*.
 Mrs. *Worsfold*, *Edmonton*.
 1778 Mrs. *Waldo*, *Mitcham*, *Surry*.
 Lady *Wake*, *Courteen Hall*, *Northamptonshire*.
 1788 Mrs. *Warton*, of *Winchester*.
 Mrs. *Ann Wood*, *Devonshire Place*.
 1790 Mrs. *Pere Williams*, *Hoddesdon*, *Herts*.
 1791 Miss *Whitbread*, *Portman-square*.
 1792 Mrs. *Williams*, *Nethway-house*, *Devon*.
 Mrs. *Susanna Walker*, *Woodstock*, *Oxon*.
 Mrs. *Isabella Wyatt*, *West Grinstead*, near *Horſham*, *Suffex*.
 1795 Mrs. *Anne White*, *Lower Brook-street*.
 Mrs. *Susanna Whatman*, *Vinters*, near *Maidſtone*.
 Mrs. *Ann Westmoreland*, *Billingſborough*, *Lincolnſhire*.
 Mrs. *Ann Whitaker*, *Loughton-Houſe*, *Essex*.
 1798 Miss *Martha Wix*, *Iſlington*, *Middleſex*.

Miss

Time of
Admission.

[89]

1798 Miss *Ann White*, *Chillington*, near *Blandford*.
Mrs. *Jane Worthington*, *Upper Tooting*, *Surry*.

Y.

1793 Miss *Portia Young*, *Byfleet-house*, near *Cobham*.
Mrs. *Yarborough*, *Campsmount*, *Doncaster*.

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THAT the CHARITY SCHOOLS might answer the true Purpose for which they were erected, the Society have, in their *Circular Letters* to their Correspondents, recommended that, with their Instructions in Religion and Piety, they should join all proper Methods of inuring the Children to *Labour* and *Industry*; and in their Circular Letter A. D. 1712, they have these Words:

Circular
Letter.
1712.

“AND because some have apprehended, that the placing so many of them out Apprentices to Manual Trades, as is now generally done, may occasion, in Time, a Want of Servants, especially in Husbandry; the Society recommend it to your Consideration, whether the bringing up the Children to Husbandry, or putting them out to Servants, at Sea, or in sober Families, may not be more useful to the Publick, and no less beneficial to themselves.”

IN the Year 1719, they recommended the same Thing to their Correspondents, in the following Words:

1719.

“NEXT to improving the Minds of the Poor in all necessary Christian Knowledge, the Society have desired, and do again earnestly intreat all their Correspondents, to use their utmost Endeavours to get some Kind of Labour added to the Instruction given to Children in the Charity

“ Schools; as *Husbandry* in any of its Branches,
 “ *Spinning, Sewing, Knitting*, or any other useful
 “ Employment; to which the particular Manufac-
 “ tures of their respective Countries may lead them.
 “ This will bring them to an Habit of Industry, as
 “ well as prepare them for the Business by which
 “ they are afterwards to subsist in the World, and
 “ effectually obviate an Objection against the Cha-
 “ rity Schools, that they tend to take poor Children
 “ off from those servile Offices which are necessary
 “ in all Communities, and for which the wise Go-
 “ vernor of the World has by his Providence de-
 “ signed them.”

“ THE best Means of employing the Poor has
 “ always had a Share in the Thoughts of the wisest
 “ Men in this Kingdom; and the present State of
 “ Affairs, with respect to our Trade, seems to re-
 “ quire a Continuance of your Care and Applica-
 “ tion, to promote those Employments among the
 “ Children educated in Charity Schools, which may
 “ be most for the Service of the Publick; so that
 “ Beside *Reading, Writing, and Arithmetick*, and in-
 “ structing them in the Principles and Rules of our
 “ holy Religion, they ought also to be inured to some
 “ sort of profitable *Labour* or *Business*.”

“ It has been observed by a worthy Correspond-
 “ ing Member, that where, in the Want of other
 “ Labour, the Children in the Country go a Mile
 “ or two to School, even that has contributed to
 “ make them robust and active; and that *Garden-*
 “ *ing, Plowing, Harrowing*, or other servile Labour
 “ every other Day for their Parents, has been no
 “ Prejudice to their Progress in Learning.”

Circular
Letter

1722.

"It is not easy to prescribe such an Employ as
 "it would suit all Parts of the Kingdom, and there-
 "fore it must be left to the Prudence of those who
 "are intrusted with the Management of Charity
 "Schools, to chuse such Employments for the Chil-
 "dren, as they shall judge to be most practicable in
 "their respective Places; and if any in your Neigh-
 "bourhood have been so happy as to fall into a pro-
 "per Method for employing poor Children, you are
 "desired to signify it in as particular a Manner as you
 "can; that when the Society are furnished with a
 "greater Variety of such Methods, they may be com-
 "municated to the Publick for general Practice."

Circular
Letter

1725.

"AND though the Manner of employing the Poor
 "may, at first, be attended with some Difficulty, by
 "reason of the Variety of Manufactures in the King-
 "dom, and the Materials necessary for them, which
 "all Places do not equally afford; yet wherever an
 "Attempt has been made (though by Means perhaps
 "at first not appearing very probable) it has seldom
 "failed of producing some good Effect; for not-
 "withstanding the Produce of the Manufactures,
 "wherein the Poor are employed, should happen
 "to be but small, yet if they are kept from Idleness
 "and Beggary, and inured to a sober and industrious
 "Way of Living, the good Effects thereof, as
 "well to themselves as to the Publick, will fully
 "compensate all the Pains that shall be taken
 "therein."

Circular
Letter

1729.

"THE general Usefulness of *Husbandry* to this
 "Nation, the real Want there has been of Persons
 "to be employed in it, and the Mortality that has
 "lately happened in many Counties, especially
 "among

among the lower and more laborious Sort of People, are, in the Opinion of the Society, all of them, very good Reasons to engage their Members to use their utmost Endeavours that poor Children may be bound out Apprentices to that Business; which would silence one of the most popular Clamours that has been raised against Charity Schools. This Concern therefore, which so nearly affects the common Interest of our Country, is particularly recommended by the Society to all their Members."

From these *Extracts* it will appear, how careful this Society has always been to obviate the common Objections made against the Charity Schools, that they only breed up Children in Idleness and Pride: And it must not be omitted, that as early as the Year 1712, they particularly recommended, That however these Children are disposed of, it will be very necessary before-hand to teach them that great Lesson of *true Humility*, which our Saviour has prescribed to all that will be his Disciples; lest the Advantages they receive from a pious Education, should incline them to put too great a Value upon themselves; and therefore that the Masters be often put in Mind of guarding the Children under their Care, as much as possible, against such dangerous Conceits; and in order thereunto, to instruct them very carefully in "the Duties of Servants, and Submission to Superiors."

And knowing that it is of the highest Importance to the Welfare of the Charity Schools, to remove all Occasion of Complaint against them as Nurseries of *Disaffection* to the Government, They acquainted

acquainted their Members in Town and Country,
 " That his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury
 " having heard some Complaints against the Con-
 " duct of certain Teachers in these Schools, on this
 " Head, did, in 1716, write a Letter to the Trustees
 " of the Schools in and about London, earnestly ex-
 " horting them *rigorously to animadvert upon all,*
 " *whether Children or Teachers, who either appear,*
 " *or suffer them to appear at any Time in publick,*
 " *to affront the Government, and bear a Part in those*
 " *Tumults and Riots, which are so great a Scandal,*
 " *as well as Prejudice, to the good Order and Peace*
 " *of the Realm. And likewise, if there be any Ca-*
 " *tchisms or Institutions taught in any of these*
 " *Schools, that meddle with political or party Princi-*
 " *ples, that they ought immediately to be thrown aside,*
 " *as pernicious to the original Design of these pious*
 " *Nurseries.*"

SOME Time after this, his Grace, in a particular
 Manner, recommended it to the Trustees of the
 Charity Schools in and about London; " To require
 " all the Masters and Mistresses under their Di-
 " rection, not only to take the Oaths to the Go-
 " vernment before their Admission, but at the
 " Time of their Admission to subscribe to some such
 " solemn Promise, or Declaration, as the following,
 " viz. *That they do heartily acknowledge his Majesty*
 " *King GEORGE, to be the only lawful and*
 " *rightful King of these Realms; and will to the*
 " *utmost of their Power educate the Children com-*
 " *mitted to their Charge, in a true Sense of their*
 " *Duty to him as such: That they will not, by any*
 " *Words or Actions, do any thing whereby to lessen*
 " *their Esteem of, or their Obedience to the present*
 " *Govern*

Government: That upon all publick Days, when their Children may be likely to appear among any disorderly Persons, they will do their best to keep them in, and severely punish them, if they shall hear of their running into any Tumults, or publick Meetings, contrary to the good Order of such Schools and Scholars."

SEVERAL other Prelates have earnestly pressed the like Exhortations, in their Sermons at the Anniversary Meetings of the Charity Schools, as well as on other Occasions; and the Society think it incumbent on them to use all their Interest to procure a general Conformity to his Grace's and their Lordships' Sentiments in this Matter, as of the last Importance to the Welfare of the Charity Schools; and therefore intreat all their Correspondents to do their utmost to remove all Occasions of Complaint, as they value the Prosperity of these Schools.



The STATE of the CHARITY SCHOOLS in and about LONDON and WESTMINSTER, according to the latest Accounts which have been received.

C. signifies Cloathed.

B. Children who wear Badges on their Cloaths.

M. Maintained.

W. Set to work.

CHARITY SCHOOLS in the Parishes of	N ^o of Sch.	BOYS.	GIRLS.	Boys put out since setting up of the School to			Girls put out since setting up of the School to			No. of Children educated in the Schools, including those now in them.
				Apprenticeships.	Services, or taken out by Friends.	Sea.	Apprentices.	Services, or taken out by Friends.		
A ldgate Ward <i>With-</i> <i>in, formerly St. Katharine</i> <i>Creed, 1717, C.</i> —	2	35	15	173	328	17	18	10	596	
St. Alphage, London, set up for Boys 1751, for Girls 1753, C.B.	2	18	7	—	—	—	—	—	25	
St. Andrew Holborn, e- rected 1696, C. B. —	2	80	71	912	546	86	374	884	2953	
In the same Parish, 1715, for Teaching Navigation to 40 Children gratis, out of any Cha- rity Schools within the Bills of Mortality, kept at No. 17, King's Head-c. Gough-sq.; from whence 290 Boys have been put Apprentices to Sea, included in the Numbers put out of their respective Schools	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
St Anne Alderfgate, 1709, C.B.	2	73	30	561	—	—	—	392	1056	
Alderfgate Ward, 1702	2	30	30	571	332	10	38	412	1423	
St. Anne Blackfryars, set up 1705, supported by Endowment, C.	2	51	52	409	252	26	196	359	1345	
St. Anne, Soho, 1698, C.B. 10 Girls taken into the School- house, and wholly maintained, and when qualified put out to Service	2	80	60	439	461	26	182	513	1761	
St. Anne's, Limehouse, erected 1779 —	2	15	35	15	20	15	15	80	195	
St. Anne's, Limehouse, Poplar and Blackwall, established 1711	1	50	—	638	422	62	—	—	1172	
Saint Bartholomew the Great, for Boys 1717, and for Girls 1727, Pt. C. —	2	36	24	197	227	23	44	254	805	
Battersea, Surry, founded and endowed by a Person of Qua- lity for 20 Boys, taught to Read, Write, and cast Accounts, several of whom are afterwards Appren- ticed with the Interest of two Le- gacies left for that Purpose —	1	20	—	100	140	—	—	—	260	
	20	488	324	4015	2728	265	867	2904	11591	

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St. Botolph Alderfgate, } 1702, C. B.	1	40	—	240	547	—	—	—	827	
Billingsgate Ward, 1714, C. B.	1	40	—	222	630	57	—	—	949	
St. Botolph Aldgate, for } Boys, set up 1688, and for Girls } 1700, C. B.	2	61	40	515	257	27	21	416	1337	
St. Botolph Bishopsgate, } 1702, C. B.	2	30	30	—	—	—	—	—	60	
St. Bride's Parish, 1711, C.	2	40	30	181	262	12	67	322	914	
Bridge, Candlewick, and } Dowgate Ward, for Boys 1710, Girls 1717, formerly under the Name of St. Michael Crooked-lane and St. Magnus the Martyr, C. B.	2	60	40	—	—	—	—	—	100	
British or Welch School, Gray's-inn-lane *, set up 1718, for the Instrueting, Cloathing, and putting forth Apprentice poor Children, descended of Welch Pa- rents, born in or near London, that have no Parochial Settlement here	2	66	25	530	124	126	21	50	942	
Broad-street Ward, 1714, C. B.	2	50	30	579	984	31	9	—	1683	
Camberwell, Surry, 1714 } and 1721, C. B.	2	35	30	—	—	—	—	—	65	
Castlebaynard Ward, C. } Boys 1710, Girls 1719	2	34	24	—	—	—	—	—	58	
Chelsea, Middlesex, set up 1707, endow'd with 10 l. per Ann. forever, by the late Mr. Chamber- layne, Pt. C. and Pt. M.	2	35	20	75	12	—	—	5	147	
In the same Parish, set up June 1709, for Soldiers' Girls, supported by Ladies, seven of whom are Trustees, C.	1	—	33	—	—	—	—	7	40	
Christ - Church, Spital- } Fields, set up 1708, C. B.	2	50	50	211	505	22	738	—	1576	
Christ-Church in Surry, } Boys 1711, Girls 1715, C.	2	40	40	572	436	19	—	634	1741	
St. Clement Dane, 1702, C.	2	60	40	334	290	66	320	564	1674	
	27	641	432	3459	4047	360	1176	1998	12113	

* Maintained in the House.

CHARITY-SCHOOLS in the Parishes of

In the same Parish of St.
Clement Dane, an Horn-book
School for Boys and Girls, 1724,
Pt. C.

Coleman-street Ward
School, *C. B.*

Cordwainers and Bread-
street Ward, *C. B.* Boys 1701,
Girls 1714

Cornhill and Lime-street
Ward, *C. B.* 1710

Cripplegate Ward *With-*
out, in *Redcross-street*, 1698, *C. B.*

Cripplegate Ward *Within*,
set up 1712, in *Aldermanbury*

In the same Parish, sup-
ported by the Legacies of Lady
Elean. Holles, Ed. Buckley, John
Brittow, Esqrs. & others, 1709, *C.*

Deptford in *Kent*, *C.*

St. Dunstan in the West, *C.*
Boys 1708, Girls 1710

St. Edmund the King. A
Subscript. and Collect. to put out
Children Apprentices educated
in the Charity Schools, and 240
Children have been put out, in-
cluded in the Numbers put out
of their respective Schools

St. Ethelburga, *C. B.* set up
B. 1739, G. 1774, first in the Pa-
rish of St. *Mary Abchurch*, sup-
ported by the Subscriptions of a
Society, and other Collections

Farringdon Ward *Within*,
set up 1705, *C. B.*

French Charity-School,
Spitalfields

Finlbury Charity-School,
set up 1792

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2	19	11	—	—	—	—	—	30	
2	40	25	230	375	27	120	103	920	
2	50	30	347	778	24	100	419	1748	
2	45	35	306	1068	39	—	—	1493	
2	102	100	756	1705	90	—	1365	4118	
2	50	25	143	1074	4	7	377	1680	
1	—	70	—	—	—	—	—	70	
2	50	20	8	—	—	—	—	78	
2	50	40	357	792	59	335	—	1633	
—	—	—	240	—	—	—	—	240	
2	36	20	246	418	14	—	66	800	
2	60	40	233	127	51	187	101	799	
2	14	17	—	—	—	—	—	31	
2	30	15	20	4	—	4	—	73	
25	546	448	2886	6341	308	753	2131	13413	

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St. George, <i>Middlesex</i> , or Rayne's Hospital, C. Boys 1716, Girls 1719. See below.	2	50	90	279	—	—	—	452	871	
St. George the Martyr, 1708, C. B.	2	40	30	447	—	—	200	—	717	
St. George Southwark, B. 1715, C. Girls 1747	2	40	25	—	—	—	—	—	65	
Sir George Wheeler's Chapel in <i>Spital-Fields</i> , 1703, C. W.	1	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	
St. Giles in the Fields, and St. George Bloomsbury, set up 1705, C.										
The Trustees of these Schools, in 1728, finding themselves burdened with binding out Girls to Trades, agreed that for the future 16 of the eldest Girls should be wholly maintained in the Schools, with a Person appointed to teach them what is necessary to qualify them for Services	2	101	70	805	627	20	398	267	2288	
Greenwich, <i>Kent</i> , 1700, C. W. the Children here spin, and make their own Cloaths, both Linen and Woollen	1	40	—	4	200	—	—	—	244	
In the same Parish, cloathed in Green	1	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	
In the same Parish, cloathed in Grey	1	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	
Hammersmith, <i>Middlesex</i>	2	20	20	—	—	—	—	—	40	
Highgate, <i>Middlesex</i> , C. set up for Girls 1722. The Schoolhouse was built by Edward Pauncefoot, Esq; who endowed it with 5l. per ann. for ever	1	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	20	
St. James, Clerkenwell, C. B. 1700	2	60	40	—	—	—	—	—	100	
In the same Parish, 1730, for Children 5 years old, to qualify them for the other Schools	2	20	10	—	—	—	—	—	30	
Peter Joys, Esq; set up June 19, 1705, by Peter Joys, Esq;	2	37	24	—	—	—	—	—	61	
St. James Westminster, C. supported by the Offertory, 1697	2	80	50	261	—	—	524	—	915	
	23	594	379	1796	827	20	1122	719	5457	

RAYNE's Hospital, set up in the same Parish of St. George in the East, 1736, for 40 GIRLS. These Girls, being transplanted from the Parish School into the said Hospital, are entirely maintained and trained up for Services.—After the Age of 22, Six of them, producing Certificates of their good Behaviour during their Servitude, draw Lots, twice in the Year, for a Marriage-Portion of 100l. to settle them in the World with an honest industrious Mechanic.—58 have received it, and 379 have been educated since its Institution.

CHARITY-SCHOOLS in the Parishes of

In the same Parish, in *King-street*, set up in 1712, by the late Archbishop *Tenison*, supported out of the Revenue of the Chapel, C. }
In the same Parish of St. *James Westminster*, set up 1725, C. M. W. to prepare them for Service, supported by Collections at Sermons, and casual Benefactions }
St. John at *Hackney, C.* set up 1714, laid down *Lady-day* 1735, revived *Midsummer* following }
St. John *Wapping*, set up for Boys 1704, Girls 1708, C. }
St. John *South*, 1735, C. * } separated from St. Olave South.
St. James *Clerkenwell, C.* 1767 }
Hleworth, *Middlesex*, 1715 } C. W.
St. Katherine near the Tower, 1707, C. }
Kenfington, *Mid.* 1707. To which His MAJESTY is graciously pleased to allow 80 l. per Ann. and the Children have a Dinner every Sunday from *Michaelmas* to *Lady-day* }
Lambeth in *Surry*, Boys 1708, Girls 1706, C. W. the Girls are employed in Knitting and Sewing }
Langbourn Ward, set up in the Name of *Albhallows Lombard-street*, 1702, and made the Ward School 1735, C. B. }
St. Leonard *Shoreditch*, Boys erected 1703, Girls, 1709, C. B. }
St. Luke *Middlesex*, from the Parish of St. *Giles Cripplegate*, set up 1710, Girls 1762, C. B. }

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2	36	120						156	
1	70	—	626					696	
2	30	30						60	
2	50	40	482		205	2	484	1263	
1	—	36					404	440	
2	60	40	270				404	774	
2	40	20						60	
2	35	15	28	290	158		207	733	
2	30	20	82	15		35	53	235	
1	50	—						50	
1	60	—	379	717	16			1172	
2	60	50	435	499	12	97	640	1793	
2	100	50	647					797	
22	621	421	2949	1521	391	134	2192	8229	

• The Trustees have taken 24 into the House, wholly to be maintained.

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In the same Parish, C. set up 1737, supported by a Legacy of Mr. John Fuller, deceased; and Five Pounds allowed to put out each Boy Apprentice	1	20		46	39					105
St. Margaret Westminster, clothed in Blue, the Boys set up 1688, the Girls 1714, W. Being the first Institution of this Kind against Popery	2	52	34	528	190	50	84	239		1177
In the same Parish, clothed in Grey, W. and M. the Boys set up 1698	2	50	36	381				218		685
St. Martin in the Fields 1699, C. In these Schools 35 Girls are M. and one third Part of the Boys are daily employed in useful Labour, so that the whole School works 2 Days in a Week, by Rotation	2	80	40							120
St. Mary Islington, 1710. C. B.	2	36	24	329	84	4	16	133		626
St. Mary Magdalene Bermondsey, Boys 1712, Girls 1722, C.	2	50	30							80
St. Mary Overee, alias St. Saviour Southwark, C. —	2	60	50					206		316
St. Mary Rotherhith, 1739	2	25	20	175	104			100		424
In the same Parish, C. Boys set up 1742, Girls 1746	2	16	20							36
In the same Parish, not Clothed, 1755	2	25	15	160	41			75		316
St. Mary-le-bone, clothed, set up 1750 *	2	50	44	425	100		192	93		904
† Do. Sch. of Industry, 1791	2	40	16		164			72		292
St. Mary le Strand, 1708, C.	1	20		176	250	6				452
St. Mary Whitechapel, 1705, C. —	2	60	40	4			2			106
St. Matthew, Bethn. Green Girls set up 1762, Boys 1763, C.	2	30	30		259			306		625
Mile End, Old Town, set up 1723, C. —	2	30	20	105		1				156
In the same Parish, clothed in Blue, and endowed —	1		100							100
Mortlake in Surry, set up 1701, C. —	2	9	9							18
Newington Butts, Surry, 1710, C. —	2	30	20	74	406			80		610
Norton Falgate, School for Boys 1691, Girls 1703, and has been very useful as a Nursery to the neighbouring Charity Schools	1	36								36
	36	719	548	2403	1637	61	294	1522		7184

* They are boarded, lodged in the House, and every Necessary found.

† Fifty are clothed from their own Industry.

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St. Olave, South, 1735, C.	1	40	—	7	28	—	—	—	75
St. Paul Covent-garden, Boys 1701, Girls 1712, C.	2	*20	20	225	291	10	115	198	879
St. Paul Shadwell, Boys 1699, Girls 1712, C.	2	45	35	346	758	67	38	526	1815
St. Pancras, set up 1786	1	—	40	—	—	—	—	97	137
Pentonville, 1788, C.	2	12	12	25	6	—	—	21	76
Queen-Hithe Ward, set up in 1717, Cl. B.	2	24	24	359	—	—	—	296	703
Radcliff Hamlet, Stepney, Boys 1710, Girls 1723	2	35	15	100	—	—	262	—	412
Richmond in Surry, set up 1713, C.	1	80	50	262	12	8	200	38	650
St Sepulchre London set up 1700, C.	1	51	—	1058	56	17	—	—	1182
In the same Parish the Ladies' School, 40 boarded in the House, set up 1702, C.	1	—	51	—	—	—	—	1001	1052
In the same Parish Middle. Girls, 4 boarded in the House, set up 1711, C.	1	—	21	—	—	—	—	—	21
In the same Parish Middle. set up 1706, C.	1	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
Saint Stephen Walbrook, 1698 and 1778, Cl.	2	50	30	284	—	7	—	59	430
Saint Thomas Southwark, 1704, Cl.	1	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
Tower Ward, Girls 1707, Boys 1709, C.	2	60	60	78	1011	130	186	1148	2673
Vintry Ward, 1710, C. B.	1	50	—	228	789	16	—	—	1083
Wandsworth, Surry	1	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	25
Westminster French Charity-school, set up 1747 †	2	19	18	92	45	1	98	304	577
	26	571	376	3064	2996	256	899	3688	11850
Brought from Page 96	20	488	324	4015	2728	265	867	294	11591
— from Page 97	27	641	432	3459	4047	360	1176	1998	12113
— from Page 98	25	546	448	2886	6341	308	753	2131	13413
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— from Page 100	22	621	421	2949	1521	391	134	2192	8229
— from Page 101	36	719	548	2403	1637	61	294	1522	7184
TOTAL	179	4180	2928	20572	20097	1661	5245	15154	69837

* 14 Boys and 14 Girls are maintained in the House.

† The Boys are employed in braiding Nets for the *Free British Fishery*.

‡ For the Instructing, Cloathing, Maintaining, and putting forth Apprentices poor Children descended of French Protestant Refugees, born in or near London, that have no Parochial Settlement here. This School is supported by Annual Subscriptions and Voluntary Contributions; and the Children being all taught to read and write *English* equally as well as *French*, are hereby recommended to those Masters or Mistresses, that have need of Servants capable of speaking both Tongues fluently. The School is kept in *Windmill-street*, near *Tottenham-court-road*.

Boys at School	—	4180	} 7108 Total of Children at School.
Girls	—	2928	
Boys put out to Appren.	20572	} 42330	} 69837
—— to Services, &c.	20097		
—— Sea	1661		
Girls put out to Appren.	5245	} 20399	
—— to Services, &c.	15154		

Total of Children put to Appren-
ticeships and Services,
or taken out by Friends;
of which 1170 are gone to
Sea, out of 45 Schools.

Total of Children put to Apprenticeships and Services, or taken out by Friends; of which 1170 are gone to Sea, out of 45 Schools.

Note, *The TRUSTEES of some Schools have thought fit to lessen the Number of Children taught in them, that the rest might be entirely supported; which is the Reason the Number now taught, is short of what it was formerly.*

The Number of CHARITY-SCHOOLS in each County of England and Wales, with the Number of Children taught in them, according to the best Information that has been given to the Publisher hereof, is as follows:

	Sch.	Boys.	Girls.		Sch.	Boys.	Girls.
Anglesea	3	40		Lincolnshire	91	1164	95
Bedfordshire	34	345	57	Merionethshire	2	40	22
Berkshire	59	807	140	Middlesex	29	410	220
Brecknockshire	5	251	47	Monmouthshire	7	104	13
Buckinghamshire	57	689	46	Montgomeryshire	6	76	16
Cambridgeshire	36	673	124	Norfolk	34	570	220
Cardiganhire	1	10		Northamptonshire	47	508	143
Carmarthenhire	11	121	4	Northumberland	10	430	49
Carnarvonshire	3	35		Nottinghamshire	30	252	28
Cheshire	17	124	66	Oxfordshire	23	366	106
Cornwall	13	72	34	Pembrokeshire	—	—	—
Cumberland	6	160	30	Radnorshire	3	60	
Denbighshire	5	100	3	Rutlandshire	6	32	12
Derbyshire	18	274	51	Shropshire	22	373	37
Devonshire	41	679	235	Somerfetshire	33	582	90
Dorsetshire	13	117	29	Staffordshire	14	230	88
Durham	12	276	20	Suffolk	40	600	140
Essex	37	498	178	Surry	29	546	144
Flintshire	1	60		Sussex	23	512	60
Glamorganshire	6	50		Warwickshire	36	385	165
Gloucestershire	60	940	100	Westmoreland	1	16	10
Hampshire	39	541	112	Wiltshire	37	736	57
Herefordshire	29	468	79	Worcestershire	38	612	100
Hertfordshire	38	652	126	Yorkshire	54	893	191
Huntingdonshire	25	282	20				
Kent	62	968	315		615	9497	1997
Lancashire	21	311	231	Brought forward	689	9825	1877
Leicestershire	36	451	30		1304	19322	3874
Carried forward	689	9825	1877				

N. B. The Society will be much obliged to each of their Members, as are concerned in the Support or Management of any of these Country Charity-Schools, to inform them of any Errors they may discover in the above List; as there is Reason to believe it is not *now* a correct one.

A Summary View of the CHARITY-SCHOOLS in Great-Britain and Ireland.

	Sch.	Boys.	Girls.
A T L O N D O N	179	4180	2928
In other Parts of <i>South-Britain</i>	1329	19506	3915
In <i>North-Britain</i> , by the Account published in 1786	135	5187	2618
In <i>IRELAND</i> , for teaching to Read and Write only	168	2406	600
In ditto, erected pursuant to his Majesty's Charter, and encouraged by his Royal Bounty of 1000 l. per Annum, for instructing, employing, and wholly maintaining the Children, exclusive of the <i>Dublin</i> Work-house School	42	1935	—
Total of Schools	1851	33214	10061
		10061	
Boys and Girls now taught in those Schools		43275	

Note, Where the Number of Scholars has been signified to the Publisher of this Account, without distinguishing the Sexes, they are put in the Column of Boys.

A PROPOSAL made by the SOCIETY to the Trustees of the CHARITY-SCHOOLS, for adding Work to the Learning usually given to the Children.

THE Instructing of Youth, and Providing for the Poor and Impotent, are such obvious Duties, that they meet with universal Approbation; but the most proper Means to attain that good End are often disputed.

THE Erecting of Charity-Schools has most certainly laid a good Foundation for the first; and the late excellent Law relating to *Work-Houses*, has put it in the Power of every Parish in a much better Manner to provide for the latter.

As to the Charity-Schools, it must needs be acknowledged, that those excellent Persons who first formed,

formed, and they who have since conducted that good Work, ought ever to be mentioned with Honour : And now, that such Schools are established in most Parts of the Kingdom, it is much to be wished that some Means could be contrived to render them still more useful, and effectually to answer the good Purposes of their Institution.

It is conceived, that if the Children educated in Charity-Schools were employed in some such Business as they are capable of, it would be no Hindrance to their Learning, and might have a very good Effect, by inuring them early to Industry; but what that Employment should be, and the Manner of conducting it, must be left to the Managers of the several Schools, who are the best Judges of what is most proper and convenient to be done.

SUPPOSE *England and Wales* to contain *Ten Thousand* Parishes, and that but *Ten* Persons in every Parish, one with another, were by some Method employed, who were perfectly idle before, then the whole Number of Persons so set to work would be *One Hundred Thousand*, and, if they work but 300 Days in a Year, and one with another earned but a *Half-Penny* a Day, the Produce of their Labour at the Year's End would amount to 62,500 Pounds.

THE Spinning of coarse Wool, Flax or Hemp, is a Thing easily learnt, and the Waste which will be always made by Beginners will not amount to much. And if it were possible so to contrive it, that the Parents of the Children might reap some Advantage from what is so earned, it would be a great Inducement for them to keep the Children to their Business; and if the Undertaking succeeded, it is to be hoped, that many good People would send in coarse Materials to be worked up for the Benefit of the School.

Coarse Wool,
Flax, or
Hemp to be
spun in the
Charity-
Schools.

It is impossible to give minute and particular Directions for conducting this Undertaking, and therefore that must be left to the Managers, who will best judge what is necessary to be done; but till the School is very well got into some Method, the best Way will most certainly be to keep the Business in a small Compass.

Tho' the Spinning of Wool, and Flax, or Hemp, is proposed, as most advantageous, yet where this is found impracticable, the Children should be employed in some other Way, and always have what they earn for their Encouragement: That would make them diligent, and induce all good Christians to assist in an Undertaking, which so much conduces to the Glory of God, and the Good of Mankind.

There having sometimes happened much Difficulty in obtaining a Legacy given to the Charity-Schools, by reason of some Defect in expressing such Bequest; it seems convenient to set down how such Legacy may be so expressed, as to prevent any Scruple about paying it; which may be done in this Manner, viz.

*I T E M, I A. B. do give and bequeath unto
G. H. of the
Sum of Pounds,
to the Intent, and on Trust, that he do pay the same
to the Treasurers for the Time being of the Charity-
School, for Teaching [poor Children, or poor Boys,
or poor Girls,] to Read, &c. in the Parish of
in the City
of or in the
County of for the
Use of the said School.*

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A
L E T T E R
O F
DR. EDMUND GIBSON,
Late Lord Bishop of LONDON,
TO THE
CLERGY OF HIS DIOCESE,

Dated *Whitehall, April 3, 1740.*

GOOD BROTHER,

THE Decay of Piety and Religion, and the Increase of Sin and Vice, are so visible in our Days, notwithstanding the Endeavours of the Parochial Clergy to prevent them; that no additional Expedients ought to be omitted, which may help, in any Measure, to preserve among our People a Sense of Duty, and a Spirit of Devotion.

ONE of these Expedients is, the putting into their Hands, as Occasion shall be found, some short and plain Tracts upon Religious Subjects; such as being short, they are like to read, or may easily procure to be read to them; and being also plain, they cannot fail of understanding; and moreover, being always at Hand, and read over often, they will naturally make a *deeper Impression* upon their Minds, than Instructions and Admonitions, either from the Pulpit, or by Word of Mouth.

IT was with this View, that several Bishops, Clergymen, and other serious Persons among the Laity, did long since form themselves into a Society, for printing and dispersing such practical Tracts in great Numbers. And for the dispersing them more effectually, they have from Time to Time admitted, and continue to admit, several Persons in all Parts of the Kingdom, whom they call CORRESPONDING MEMBERS; and who are intitled to have a Supply of them, to be disposed of among such of the neighbouring Clergy or Laity as desire them; the Bound Books, mentioned in their Catalogue, at the prime Cost in *Quires*, the So-

ciety being at the Charge of Binding; and the Stitch'd Books, at one *half* of what is set down as the prime Cost of each; the other half of the Charge being borne by the standing Subscriptions of the Members of the Society, and by other occasional Benefactions. And the Privilege of sending for, and receiving those Books and small Tracts, on the Terms before-mentioned, is common to all the CORRESPONDING MEMBERS, as such, whether they be SUBSCRIBERS or not; on Account of the Trouble they are content to take in answering the great Ends of the Society, by conveying their Tracts into many Hands, and on the same easy Terms; without any Advantage to themselves, besides the Pleasure of doing good.

THIS Society has subsisted many Years, under the Name of *The Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge*. And as, by their Endeavours in that Way, great Good has been already done to Religion, so much more would probably be done, if the Design, and their Methods of carrying it on, were more generally understood and attended to. And because some of the Clergy may not know that there is such a Society, and many others may be unacquainted with the true End and Manner of it; I desire that those in your Neighbourhood may have this Account of it communicated to them, as you have Opportunity. At the same Time it is left to every one's Judgment, how far he has *Occasion*, within his own Cure, for such Assistances as these, to co-operate with his own Pastoral Labours.

I AM not without Hope, that when this Method of doing Service to Religion is known and considered, Persons who are of Ability, both among the Clergy and Laity, will be disposed to become *subscribing Members*, or occasional Contributors; for the better Support of the Society in carrying on the Work, and to make the good Effects of it more and more extensive. And so, commending you and your Labours to the Blessing of God,

I remain, Sir,

Your faithful Friend and Brother,

EDM. LONDON.

[N^o III.]

CATALOGUE OF THE BOOKS

DISPERSED BY THE
SOCIETY,

Which may be had by their MEMBERS on the Terms
herein set forth.

The Articles † have been admitted into the Catalogue within the last Year.

I. *The Books here underwritten are all bound at the Expence of the Society, and the Members are only charged with the Payment of such Sums as are placed opposite to each Book *.*

1. *Bibles at the following Prices, viz.*

T HE Oxford Bible, Pica Character, with Marginal References, in Medium 4to. - - - - -	15	6
The same, on fine Royal Paper - - - - -	11	0
The Oxford Bible, Brevier Character, with Marginal References, single, in 8vo. - - - - -	6	0
The same, - - - - - with the Apocrypha - - - - -	7	0
The same, on a Crown Paper, without Marginal References, in 8vo. - - - - -	4	0
The same, - - - - - with the Apocrypha - - - - -	4	10
The same, - - - - - with Service, Psalms, and Apocrypha - - - - -	6	0
The same, - - - - - Service and Psalms, no Apocrypha - - - - -	5	2
The same, - Minion Character, single, in 12mo. - - - - -	3	0
The same, - - - - - with the Apocrypha - - - - -	3	9
The same, - - - - - with the Service, Psalms, and the Apocrypha - - - - -	4	6
The same, - - - - - with Service and Psalms, no Apocrypha - - - - -	3	9
The same, Nonpareil, single, in 12mo. - - - - -	2	0
The same, - - - - - with Service and Psalms - - - - -	2	8
The same, - - - - - single 24to. - - - - -	2	0

* The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge having found it necessary, in Consequence of the increased Price of Paper, Journeymen's Wages, &c. to make an Advance in their Charge for Bibles, Testaments, and Common-Prayers; the Society, unwilling that it should fall on the individual Members who co-operate with them in the good Work of giving these Books away, are happy to be enabled to take this additional Charge upon themselves; which therefore they have agreed to defray, besides the Expence of Binding as heretofore.

The

The <i>Cambridge</i> Bible, Pica Character, with Marginal References, in Medium 4 ^{to} .	15	6
The same, on fine Royal Paper	11	0
The <i>Cambridge</i> Bible, Brevier, with Marginal References, single, in 8 ^{vo} .	6	0
The same, ————— with the Apocrypha	7	0
The same, on a Crown Paper, without Marginal References, in 8 ^{vo} .	4	0
The same, ————— with the Apocrypha	4	10
The same, ————— with Service, Psalms, and Apocrypha	6	0
The same, ————— Service, Psalms, and no Apocrypha	5	2
The same, Minion, single, in 12 ^{mo} .	3	0
The same, ————— with the Apocrypha	3	9
The same, ————— with the Service, Psalms, and Apocrypha	4	6
The same, ————— with Service and Psalms, and no Apocrypha	3	9
The same, Nonpareil, single, in 12 ^{mo} .	2	0
The same, ————— with Service and Psalms	2	8
The same, — single, 24 ^{to} .	2	0
The <i>London</i> Bible, by the King's Printers, Brevier, single, in 8 ^{vo} .	5	6
The same, ————— with the Apocrypha,	6	6

2. Testaments and Psalter, at the following Prices, viz.

Testament, Pica Character, 8 ^{vo} .	1	7
———— Long Primer, 8 ^{vo} .	0	11
———— Brevier, 12 ^{mo} .	0	7½
———— Nonpareil, 24 ^{to} .	0	7½
The New Testament in <i>French</i> , 12 ^{mo} .	1	6
Psalter, with the Collects, and Communion Service, 12 ^{mo} .	0	5

3. Common Prayers, with Psalms.

The <i>Oxford</i> Common Prayer, Pica 8 ^{vo} . with the <i>Old</i> Version of Psalms	2	4
The same, with Companion to the Altar	2	7
The same, with the <i>New</i> Version of Psalms and Hymns	2	8
The same, with Companion to the Altar	2	11
The same, Brevier 12 ^{mo} . with the <i>Old</i> Version of Psalms	1	3
The same, with Companion to the Altar	1	4½
The same, with the <i>New</i> Version of Psalms	1	5½
The same, with Companion to the Altar	1	6½

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The same, with the Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	s.	d.
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - -	1	3½
The same, Minion 12mo. with the <i>Old Version</i> of Psalms	1	4½
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - -	1	0½
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms - - -	1	2
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - -	1	2
The same, with the Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	1	3
The same, with the Companion to the Altar - - -	1	0½
The same, with the Companion to the Altar - - -	1	1½
The same, Long Lines, 12mo. on a fine Paper, with the <i>Old</i> } Version of Psalms - - - - - }	2	2
The same, without Psalms - - - - -	1	10
The same, Nonpareil 24to. with the <i>Old Version</i> of Psalms	0	9½
The same, with the Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	0	9
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms - - -	0	11
The <i>Cambridge Common Prayer</i> , Pica 8vo. with the <i>Old Version</i> } of Psalms - - - - - }	2	4
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - - - -	2	7
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms - - - - -	2	8
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> , and Companion to the Altar	2	11
The same, Long Primer 12mo. with the <i>Old Version</i> of Psalms	1	8
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	9½
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms - - - - -	1	9½
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> , and Companion to the Altar	1	10½
The same, Brevier 12mo. with the <i>Old Version</i> of Psalms	1	3
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	4½
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms - - - - -	1	5½
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	6½
The same, with the Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	1	3½
The same, with the Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	4½
The same, Minion 12mo. with the <i>Old Version</i> of Psalms	1	0½
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	2
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms - - - - -	1	2
The same, with Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	3
The same, with the Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	1	0½
The same, with the Companion to the Altar - - - - -	1	1½
The same, Long Lines, 12mo. on a fine Paper, with the <i>Old</i> } Version of Psalms - - - - - }	2	2
The same, without Psalms - - - - -	1	10
The same, Nonpareil 24to. with the <i>Old Version</i> of Psalms	0	9½

	s.	d.
The same, with the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	0	11
The same, with the Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of Psalms	0	9
The Common Prayer in <i>Welch</i> , Long Primer 12mo. with the Old Version of Psalms	1	10
The <i>New Version</i> of Psalms, by <i>Tate</i> and <i>Brady</i> , with the Hymns, in 8vo.	1	6
The same, Brevier 12mo.	0	8 $\frac{1}{2}$
The same, Minion 12mo.	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
The same, Nonpareil 24to.	0	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Extracts from the <i>New Version</i> of the Psalms for the Use of Parish Churches, Brevier 12mo.	0	5
The same, Minion 12mo.	0	5
The same, Nonpareil, 24to.	0	4

N. B. The *New Version* of the Psalms by *Tate* and *Brady*, and the Extracts from the *New Version*, will be allowed to Members at Half Price, when bound up with the *Common Prayer Books*.

Other RELIGIOUS BOOKS bound at the Expence of the Society,
which are charged to the Members only at the Price set against each Book.

4. On the Holy Scriptures.

	s.	d.
<i>Gastrel's</i> (Bishop) Christian Institutes, 12mo.	1	6
<i>Greenwood's</i> (Dr.) Harmony of the Four Gospels, 12mo.	1	6
The Four Gospels and the Acts of the Apostles; with Notes ex- planatory and practical, for the Use of Families and Schools; by <i>Isaac Mann</i> , D. D. late Lord Bishop of <i>Cork</i> and <i>Ross</i>	2	6
<i>Ostervald's</i> Arguments on the Books and Chapters of the Old and New Testament: With Practical Observations, and a Preliminary Discourse. In Two large Volumes, 8vo.	9	0
<i>Sellon's</i> Abridgment of the Holy Scriptures, 12mo.	0	10
The same, translated into <i>French</i>	1	0
<i>Trimmer's</i> (Mrs.) Abridgment of Scripture History; consisting of Lessons selected from the Old Testament, for the Use of Charity Schools, Kitchens, and Cottages	1	3
—Abridgment of the New Testament on the same Plan	0	11
—† Scripture Catechism, Part I. containing a familiar Ex- planation of the Lessons selected from the Old Testament. For the Use of Schools and Families	2	0
—† Scripture Catechism, Part II. containing a familiar Ex- planation of the Lessons selected from the Writings of the Four Evangelists. For the Use of Schools and Families	2	0

5. *On the Church Catechism.*

<i>Duke's</i> Lectures on the Christian Covenant, on the Articles of the Christian Faith, and on the two Sacraments, 12mo.	1	0
<i>Kenn's</i> (Bishop) Exposition of the Church Catechism, 12mo.	0	7
<i>Lewis's</i> Exposition of the Church Catechism, Price 18s. } per Hundred, — or singly	0	2½
<i>Secker's</i> (Archbishop) Lectures on the Church Catechism, 12mo.	2	6
<i>Wake's</i> (Archbishop) Commentary on the Church Catechism, 12mo.	0	11½
<i>Williams's</i> (Bishop) Exposition of the Church Catechism, Price 28s. per Hundred, — or singly	0	4
<i>Wilson's</i> (Bishop) Principles and Duties of Christianity; being a further Instruction for such as have learned the Church Catechism	0	10

6. *On the Christian Religion, Doctrine and Practice.*

<i>Burkitt's</i> Help and Guide to Christian Families, 12mo.	0	6
<i>Crossman's</i> Introduction to the Knowledge of the Christian Religion	0	5
Whole Duty of Man, large 12mo.	1	9
The same, ——— in small 12mo.	1	0
An Essay on the Happiness and Advantages of a Well-ordered Family, respecting the present and future Welfare of its Members	0	10
The Great Importance of a Religious Life, 12mo.	0	6
<i>Greene's</i> (Bishop) Discourses on the Four Last Things, 12mo.	1	2
<i>Jones's</i> Catholic Doctrine of the Trinity proved, by above an hundred short and clear Arguments, expressed in the Terms of Holy Scripture, and compared after a Manner entirely new, 8vo.	1	3
<i>Kettlewell's</i> Office for the Penitent, Trial of the Soul, and Office for one Troubled in Mind, 12mo.	0	7
Life of God in the Soul of Man, with a Preface by Bishop Burnet	0	8
The Pious Country Parishioner Instructed, 12mo.	0	11
<i>Wilson's</i> (Bishop of Sodor and Man) Knowledge and Practice of Christianity made Easy; or, An Instruction for the Indians, 12mo.	1	6
The same, translated into Welch	1	9

* Either of these three Treats may be had separate, as see Page 119.

Thirty-three Sermons, selected from the Works of the late *Thomas Wilson*, D. D. Lord Bishop of *Sodor and Mann*, in Two Vols. } 4 0
12mo.

7. *On the Sacraments and Church Service.*

Gibson (Bishop) on the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, 12mo. } 0 6
Nelson's Companion for the Feasts and Fasts of the Church of *England* 3 3
Pott's (Archdeacon) Elementary Discourses, designed for the } 1 0
Use of a Young Person after Confirmation - - - }
Stebbing (Dr.) on Prayer and the Lord's Supper, 12mo. - - - } 0 9
Synge's (Archbishop) Answer to all Excuses and Pretences for } 0 5
not coming to the Holy Communion, on a large Letter - - - }
Wilson (Bishop of *Sodor and Mann*) on the Lord's Supper - - - } 1 0
Yardley's (Archdeacon) Practical Exposition on the Offices of Baptism }
and Confirmation; and the Communion Service of the Church } 0 6
of *England*: with suitable Devotions, 12mo. - - - }

8. *Christian Education and Schools.*

The Child's Christian Education, by the Rev. Mr. *Fisher* - - - } 0 5
The *English* Instructor; or, Art of Spelling improved, by Mr. *Dixon* } 0 5
Twenty-five Sermons preached at the Anniversary Meetings of }
the Charity Children from 1704, to 1728 inclusive - - - } 1 6
Talbot's (Dr.) Christian School-Master, or the Duty of those }
who are employed in the public Instruction of Children, espe- }
cially in Charity-Schools - - - - - } 1 0
Trimmer's (Mrs.) Teacher's Assistant; consisting of Instructions }
relating to the First Part of the Charity School Spelling Book, }
and Lectures, interspersed with Questions on the Principles of } 3 6
Religion and Morality, in 2 Vols, 12mo. - - - }

9. DEVOTION.

Best's (Dr.) Essay on the Daily Service of the Church of }
England, recommending an Attendance upon it* - - - } 0 6
Kenn's (Bishop) Manual of Prayers for *Winchester* Scholars, 12mo. } 0 5
Nelson's Practice of True Devotion, 12mo. - - - } 1 2
A New Manual of Devotions, 12mo. - - - } 1 8

* This Article is also in the List of Tracts, see Page 115.

Thirty-three Sermons, selected from the Works of the late Thomas
Worthington (Dr.) on Self-Resignation, 12mo. 1 0
Peers's Companion for the Aged, 12mo. 0 3
Woodward (Dr.) of the Rise and Progress of the Religious Societies 0 4

II. *All the Stitched Books in the remaining Part of this Catalogue are allowed to the Members at half of the Price set down against the Title of each Book, the Society defraying the other half of the Charge. — And such as are of a larger Size, the SOCIETY is also at the Expence of Half-binding, and they are marked with an *.*

I. *On the Holy Scriptures.*

* *PLAIN* Directions for Reading the Holy Scriptures 1 10 0
 Several Methods of Reading the Holy Scriptures in private 1 7 0
Ostervald's Necessity and Usefulness of Reading the Holy Scrip- 2 14 0
 tures

Abridgment of the History of the Bible 1 5 6

2. *Publick and Private DEVOTION.*

* *Best's* (Dr.) Essay on the Daily Service of the Church of 6 48 0
 England, recommending an Attendance upon it
Beveridge's (Bishop) Sermon on the Common Prayer 2 19 0
 * *Brockwell's* Practical Exposition of the Lord's Prayer; con- 6 42 0
 sidered as designed for Instruction as well as Use; as a Rule
 of Duty, as well as a Form of Prayer
 The Christian's Daily Devotion, with Directions how to walk 1 1 9 0
 with God all the Day long
 The Collects taken from the Book of Common Prayer, 1 s. 3 d. 1 1 9 0
 per Dozen, or

	Single	Hund.
	d.	s. d.
Directions for a devout and decent Behaviour in the Publick Worship of God, and for the proper Use of the Book of Common Prayer, in 8vo.	1 1/2	10 0
The same in 12mo.	1 1/2	9 0
— in French	1 1/4	8 0
* Divine Songs (Dr. Watts's) for the Use of Children	3	24 0
Divine Hymns, on a broad Sheet	1	6 0
Hymns taken from the Supplement to Tate and Brady's Psalms	1 1/2	8 0
The Necessary Duty of Family Prayer	0 1/2	5 0
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SOME

A C C O U N T

OF THE

SOCIETY's *Protestant Missions in the*
East-Indies for the Year 1797.

SINCE the Publication of the last Account, several Letters have been received from the Missionaries, the Substance of which is included in the following Particulars.

Madras.

The Rev. Messrs. *Gerické* and *Pæzold*, in a Letter accidentally without a Date, but evidently written at the beginning of the Year 1797, introduces Extracts of their Registers the preceding Year.

In the *Malabar* Congregation at *Vepery*, there had been Christened 34 Infants, and one Adult: married 10 Couple: buried 17 Persons: Communicants 109 on Easter Day, 22 on Whitsunday, 20 on the 19th Sunday after Trinity, and 110 on Christmas Day: 15 had been admitted

admitted to the Sacrament the first time; frequent catechetical Lectures having been delivered previous to these administrations, which were regularly attended, especially by the new Communicants: In the *English* and *Portuguese* Congregation, there had been *christened* 33 Children of *European* Extraction, 13 of *Portuguese* Parents, and 4 Adults: 12 had been *buried*: and 20 couple *married*. The Communicants on Easter Day had been 65, on Whitsunday 15, on the 19th after Trinity 22, and on Christmas Day 35. Thirteen had been admitted the first Time, after due examination of their Knowledge, and inquiry into their Conduct. Thrice the Holy Sacrament had been administered in *English*, when particular People desired it; and on such Occasions Mr. *Waldo's* Essay on the Sacrament, and Mr. *Duke's* Course of plain and familiar Lectures had been found peculiarly useful: once it had been administered to a Number of *Dutch* Officers, Prisoners of War, who were *Germans*; and again to more than 40 *Germans*, who from among the *Dutch* Prisoners, served in the Artillery, and who had an Opportunity every Month of hearing a Discourse in *German*.

At *Cuddalore*, 11 Children of *European* Extraction, and two *Malabarians*, had been *christened*; 3 Couple *married*; and 18 Persons buried.

At *Negapatnam*, 38 Children had been christened, and 19 Couple married, by the *Dutch* Clergyman of *Trincomalee*, who, as a Prisoner of War, was allowed to reside there; and 14 People had been buried. Mr. *Rosler*, when visiting this Place in *January*, had christened a Family of 4 People, the Father of which was more than 41 Years old, who had long been instructed by the Catechist *Nianapiragalam*.

Their daily Labours in Church and School had been regularly continued; on Sundays, in the *Malabar* Language, in the Forenoon; in the Afternoon, in the *Portuguese*; and in the Evening the *English*; on Wednesday Evenings, they had a *Malabar* Lecture, and on Friday Evenings, a *Portuguese* Lecture. Attention to People in Distress, and Replies to Letters from distant Places took up much of their Time, which was however attended with

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Comfort: the settling of Disputes in the *Malabar* Congregation at *Vepery*, was sometimes attended with much Vexation, and great trials of Patience; by Patience, however, many Evils were overcome or prevented, and many Triumphs gained.

They were anxious to finish the Impression of the *Malabar* Hymn Book of 1000 Copies, to supply the Congregations and Schools on the Coast, as but few Copies of that printed by Mr. *Fabricius* remained. The Book then under the Press contained not only all the Hymns in the former, but likewise such as had been composed by Mr. *Fabricius* in his latter Years, and which were not inferior to his early Compositions. A *Malabar* Lad, who had learnt bookbinding at *Tranquebar*, had recently been employed at *Vepery*, much to the Satisfaction of the Missionaries.

The Rev. Mr. *Gerické*, in a Letter dated 21st March 1797, acknowledges the Receipt of the Secretary's Letter, inclosing Remittances from the Society the preceding Year, together with the Amount of the late Rev. Mr. *Pache*'s Legacy to the several Missionaries, and the Sum of £.333 2 6, being a Moiety of the Produce of £.1000 3 per Cent. Stock, left by the late Mr. *Zeigenbagen* to the three Protestant Missions at *Tranquebar*, *Madras*, and *Cuddalore*: Mr. *Gerické* mentions his particular Obligations for an abundant Supply of Types for the *Vepery* Printing Office; for the Materials for Bookbinding, and for the Supply of Books, with some of which he had supplied the Wants of the Female * Asylum at *Madras*, of which

* List of CHILDREN in the FEMALE ASYLUM at MADRAS; From its Establishment in the Year 1787, to the End of 1796.

BOARDERS.				From 1787 to the End of 1795.	From 1795 to the End of 1796.	Total.
Admitted	-	-	-	30	3	33
Married	-	-	-	1	0	1
Went into the Service of Ladies	-	-	-	2	0	2
Taken out by their Guardians	-	-	-	5	1	6
Entered on the Books not received	-	-	-	1	0	1
						Died

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which he continued to have the superintendency and the Secretaryship. He desires likewise to have his humble Thanks made acceptable to the Mission Committee, and to the General Board, for all their kind Presents to the Missionaries, and particularly for having devoted a Gratuity of £.50 to each of them, instead of £.40, and a Donation of £.50 to himself to reimburse an Expence mentioned in his Account for 1794. The Salary Mr. G. received of 50 Pagodas per Month, enabled him to keep up the Establishment of Labourers in the Mission, to continue the Charities mentioned in the Mission Account, and to assist many distressed Persons besides; and he was persuaded that he could not do too much, considering the Mercies they had experienced in that Country, against all their Expectations of remaining in Peace, getting their

	From 1787 to the End of 1795	From 1795 to the End of 1796	Total
Died of the Small Pox	1	0	1
Died of the Measles	1	0	1
Died of various Disorders	0	0	0
Present	19	0	19

UPON THE FOUNDATION.

Admitted	133	32	363
Married	12	2	14
Went into the Service of Ladies	52	2	54
Returned to their Parents, Relations, or Guardians, found to be entrusted with them	60	9	69
Went to their Parents on Leave, and died	2	0	2
Went to their Parents on Leave, and never returned	18	0	18
Returned to their Parents on Account of Sickness	5	0	5
Appointed a Teacher in this Asylum	1	0	1
Stolen	1	0	1
Expelled	1	0	1
Died of the Small Pox	8	0	8
Died of the Measles	10	6	16
Died of various Disorders	23	3	26
Present	138	0	138

BOARDERS AND CHARITY.

Boarders and Charity Present	157	0	169
Total admitted since the Foundation	361	0	396

Provisions

Provisions at the ordinary Price, and experiencing nothing, during this War, of such extremely great Calamities, as continued several Years, in the former War. Mr. G. mentions that he had begun this Letter at *Sadras*, where he had spent three Days the preceding Week, preaching, baptizing, and administering the Holy Communion, and instructing some Persons who desired to receive it at his next Visit; for whose Benefit he had provided the *Sadras* Reader and Schoolmaster, Mr. *Van Driel*, (for whom he had procured from Government a Salary of three *Pagodas* per Month,) a Copy of his Catechisms, in the Common *Indian* *Portuguese*, and appointed three Hours in the Week for instructing those People, the School Children, and others, who might choose to attend, according to the easy Method laid down in that Catechism. The Information that new Missionaries were shortly to be sent out, had been very acceptable News to Mr. G. and he piously concludes—"May the same Mind be in them, which was in Christ Jesus!"

Tanjore.

The Rev. Mr. *Swartz*, in a Letter dated at *Tanjore* 21 Jan. 1797, mentions that, through divine Mercy, Mr. *Kolboff* and himself had been preserved in the Enjoyment of Health and Strength to do their Duty, and yet though he had finished his 70th Year, he was still able to perform the Duties of his Office, with tolerable Ease, for which he humbly praised God. Mr. *Jenicke*, he also mentions, as being indefatigable in his Missionary Labours, whenever he was not prevented by Illness from doing his Duty.

In the *Malabar* School, at *Tanjore*, 52 Boys and 10 Girls were educated, of whom there were monthly Examinations. Two of the senior Boys were instructed, not only in the Doctrine, but also in the Evidences of Christianity, in order to their being hereafter employed as Schoolmasters and Catechists. The provincial Schools at *Tanjore* and *Cumbagonam* were continued as heretofore. The Number added to the Congregation at *Tanjore*, last Year, was 39 Heathens, 3 Papists, and 36 Children born of Christian Parents.

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When the Holy Sacrament was administered at *Tanjore*, they admitted not more than 30 or 40 at one Time, that they might be able to examine the Knowledge of the Communicants; but, that all might have an Opportunity to receive, it was administered four or five Sundays successively: Mr. S. assures the Society that their Work of Love in that Nation was not altogether fruitless, and that many would bless God through all Eternity, for the Kindness bestowed upon them by the Honourable Board.

Mr. Swartz, in another Letter, dated at *Tanjore* 22 Feb. 1797, expresses his most humble Thanks to the Honourable Society, not only for the Stores and Presents sent out the preceding Year, but likewise for the additional Allowance, or Gratuity, of £50. He mentions the Country Priest *Satianaden*, as diligent in the Discharge of his Duties at *Palamcottan*, and worthy of the Gratuity intended for him by the Society.

Adverting to the Information he had received, concerning the sending out of new Missionaries, and the Probability that one of them might arrive in *India* with a Wife, Mr. S. makes the following Observations:—"I confess, dear Sir, I was grieved at it: I assure you that I honour the State of Matrimony as a divinely instituted State; but, if a new Missionary comes out, he ought to be unembarrassed. His first Work, besides an Attention to his personal Religion, is the learning of some Languages, which requires great Attention, and unwearied Application. I will not say that a married Man is unable to learn Languages, but this I know from Experience in others, that the Work goes on very slowly. Besides, a new Missionary, who comes out in a married State, wants many Things to maintain his Family decently, which may distract him. If one should enter into that State, after he had become qualified for his Office, the Difficulties would be less; and even then he ought to be well assured of her real Piety, otherwise, she will be a sore Impediment to him, in the Discharge of his Duty."

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A Letter from Mr. Kolhoff, dated at *Tanjore* 13 Jan. 1797, mentions his having been enabled to pursue his Business without Interruption, and that besides using the many Opportunities that had occurred to him of making known the true Way of Salvation to Heathens and Papists, about *Tanjore*, he had conversed with many, in a Journey he had taken to *Tranquebar*. In his Intercourse with Heathens, he made it his Business to give them a plain and comprehensive View of all the Truths of our holy Religion, and to prevail upon you to receive them, by representing the Absurdity and Sinfulness of their Idol Worship, the Happiness which would attend their Obedience to the Truth, and the Judgments to which they would render themselves liable, by a Contempt of the only true God, and the Offers of his Mercy. More acknowledged the Truth of his Words, than received it, and one confirmed what he had said of the hurtful and mischievous Consequences of Idolatry, by relating a * Circumstance which had recently happened at the Performance

* " Besides a Multiplicity of superior Deities, the Heathens in this Country have a great Number of infernal Deities (or rather Devils) whom they likewise make Objects of their Adoration. The Worship, or Service, done to these infernal Deities, in order to render them propitious, consists in offering them Sheep, Swine, Fowls, Rice, Plantains, and intoxicating Liquors, which is always done either in a Garden, or in a Chapel built in a Grove, without the City, or Village. After offering the Sacrifice, the Priest, with the People, by whom the Sacrifice is brought, sit down to feast themselves on the things offered. Such a Sacrifice was offered, by some Heathens, in the Month of July last, near a Village 12 Miles to the South of *Tanjore*. Having offered their Sacrifice, they sat down to the succeeding Entertainment, in which, the Priest, having made too free with the intoxicating Liquor, very soon became like a wild Beast, and murdered two Persons, who were near him, with the Instrument, with which he had killed the Victims. Others endeavoured to save themselves by Flight, but he pursued after them, murdered a Woman, wounded six others, and very likely would have proceeded in his murdering Business, if the Inhabitants of the Village had not brought him down with their Sticks, and disabled him from doing further Mischief. He was taken a Prisoner to *Tanjore*, and died in his Confinement, of the Wounds he got from the Inhabitants. Oh that these Heathens would open their " Eyes

formance of one of their Heathenish Rites, when, after sacrificing to one of their infernal Deities, the inebriated sacrificing Priest murdered three Persons, and wounded several others.

His Majesty's 53d Regiment being then stationed at *Tanjore*, a great Number of the Privates frequented the Evening Lectures, and several of them, and of the non-commissioned Officers, had been admitted to the Sacrament; to whom also a great Number of Bibles, Prayer Books, and other Tracts had been distributed.

Mr. *Jenicke*, he mentions, as being at *Palamcott*, and, though often sick and infirm, endeavouring to the best of his Power to do the Business of his Office. They very much dreaded the Loss, which the Mission would suffer by the Death of this faithful Servant of Christ, and humbly and earnestly prayed to God long to avert it.

A Letter from Mr. *Jenicke*, dated at *Ramanadaburam*, 20 March 1797, mentions with great Regret, his having so long omitted to write to the Society, alledging that it proceeded not from Inattention to his Duty, but that whenever there was an Opportunity to dispatch Letters to *England*, he had been either sick, or travelling, or unapprised of the Opportunity, or apprised of it when it was too late.

Though he had enjoyed many Intervals of tolerably good Health, yet he had been frequently indisposed, and sometimes dangerously so; sometimes he had been at Death's Door, and twice restored to life almost by a Miracle. His Health, however, he now considers as daily increasing, for a Continuance of which he prayed, that he might be enabled vigorously and without Interruption, to discharge the Duties incumbent on him, the Harvest being indeed plentiful, but the Labourers few.

" Eyes to see the dreadful Consequence of forsaking their Maker, and
" doing the Devil's Drudgery!"

This Fact tends to confirm some of the Observations made by the Rev. Mr. *Owen*, in his Charge delivered to two new Missionaries, at the Board of the Society in the Year 1797.

During the last four Years, he had taken every Opportunity his Health and Strength would permit, of preaching the Gospel to Heathens and Christians, and had likewise visited the other Missions, and dispersed Congregations, the Missions at *Tiruchinapally* and *Tranquebar*, and the Congregations at *Cambagonam*, *Palamcotta*, *Ramanadaburam*, *Pewany*, and *Madura*, announcing the Word of Truth, and occasionally administering the Sacraments.

At *Ramanadaburam*, a generous Benefactor having made a liberal Donation towards erecting a Chapel, and a House for the Missionary, and desired Mr. *Janicke* to direct and inspect the Work, he had continued there several Months. The Walls of the Mission House had been raised to the Roof, and the Foundation of the Chapel and Portico finished; and during the whole Time of his Residence, he had delivered a Lecture every Evening, preached a Sermon every Friday, and two every Sunday, and had administered the Sacrament.

The Congregation at *Manaper*, Mr. *J.* mentions as the most numerous of any in the *Tinnavilly* District, their Number amounting to more than 200 Souls. There were labouring in that District, besides *Satianaden*, four Catechists, and their Assistants, of whom one Catechist and one Assistant constantly resided at *Manaper*, the others by Turns travelling about.

Satianaden, and most of the other Labourers performed their Duty faithfully, visiting the Congregations, and bestowing their Labour on Christians and Heathens. It was his constant Practice to advise them by Word of Mouth, and by Letter, how to walk blamelessly, and to do their Duty with Vigour and Fidelity, looking cheerfully for their Reward from Him, who had called them. *Satianaden*, Mr. *J.* observes, would be very thankful for the additional Gratuity that had been suggested to him by Mr. *Swartz*. Mr. *J.* had again returned to *Ramanadaburam*, to stay till the Chapel and Mission House should be finished, which he conceived would take five or six Months. He concludes his Letter with strong Expressions

of Gratitude for all the Favours bestowed upon him by the Society, and particularly for the liberal increase of annual Gratuity, requesting also their Prayers for his Health, and for Success in his Labours.

The Rev. Mr. *Poble*, in a Letter dated at *Tiruchina-Tiruchinapally*, 2 Feb. 1797, gratefully mentions their Enjoyment of profound Peace, whilst the Nations of *Europe* were immerfed in War. His fellow Labourers in that Mission were an *English* Schoolmaster, three *Malabar* Catechists, and a *Malabar* Schoolmaster, of whom two were of the higher Cast.

In the course of the preceding Year, 53 Children, and one adult Heathen had been baptized, and one Person had been received from the *Romish* Church; there had been 14 Burials; four Couple had been married, and 152 Persons had communicated: in the *English* School, there were about 40 Boys, and in the *Malabar* nearly 20: the *Malabar* and *Portuguese* Congregations consisted of 305 Members, constituting 84 Families: the regular Functions of the Mission, in Church and School, had been punctually carried on; and daily Opportunities had been embraced by himself, and by the Catechists, of preaching the Gospel of Salvation, through Jesus Christ, in the neighbouring Country Places, and to such as resorted to the Town. With respect to *Europeans*, the Royal Artillery had very regularly attended divine Service, and some of them also the Evening Prayers, when their Duty permitted it; and some good disposed Persons likewise of the 36th Regiment, more of whom might have attended, if their Officers had given Countenance to, or had enforced it.

The Rev. the *Danish* Missionaries, in a Letter dated *Tranquebar*, at *Tranquebar*, 18 March, 1797, mention the Receipt of kind Presents sent out to them the preceding Year by the Society, and tender their most humble Thanks for the same, and for the Continuance of the Society's Favor towards that Mission. They had rejoiced to hear of the Society's intention to extend their Mission and charitable Establishments, and prayed that the new Missionaries

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expected from *Germany*, might be endued with Strength and Zeal to promote the Knowledge of the true God and our Lord Jesus Christ, among those who were still living ignorant, and deprived, of the Benefits and Privileges of our holy Religion.

They mention the arrival of the Rev. Mr. *Stegman* from *Germany* to be their Colleague, who, finding himself incapable of learning the *Malabar* Language, and the Climate proving to be injurious to his Constitution, had been necessitated to return to *Europe*. The *Moravian* settlement, concerning which inquiries had been made of them, they describe as in a declining state, and probably about to be altogether given up.

In the course of the preceding Year, 150 Souls had been added to their Congregation, of whom 128 were Children; 34 Couple had been married; and 73 Persons buried: and 1058 had been the Number of Communicants at the Lord's Supper. Besides the School Children in the different Districts of the *Tanjore* Country, 126 Youths were instructed in these *Portuguese* and *Malabar* Schools, of whom 104 were freely boarded and cloathed: the *High Portuguese* being of little Use in common Life, and the *Low Portuguese* so poor as to be fit only for Persons in the very lowest Situations, they had introduced the *English* Language into their School, being now in more general Use in *India* than any other; and they therefore humbly requested of the Society an annual Grant of some School Books for teaching and exercising in *English* reading, with which they had in some Degree hitherto been furnished, by their Brethren of the *English* Mission.

In their Printing Press, the Old Testament, in *Tamulian* or *Malabar*, had been recently finished, together with other small Books; and a New Edition of the *History of the Christian Religion* in that Language, and of *Thomas a Kempis de institutione Christi*, in *Portuguese*, was then printing.

Notwithstanding the Difficulties, with which they were surrounded, they determine, by the Grace of God, to continue

continue willingly their Labours to promote the salutary Knowledge of the one true God, and of our Lord Jesus Christ, in full Hope that the Fruits thereof will not perish, but tend to the Happiness and Salvation of those poor Nations.

The Rev. Mr. *John*, one of the *Danish* Missionaries, in a private Letter addressed to the Secretary, and dated 3 April, 1797, mentions, among other Things, the Disappointment they had experienced in the necessity Mr. *Stegman* found himself under of abandoning the Work of the Mission, and returning to *Germany*, and bewails the Loss sustained by the sudden Death of their Country Priest *Rayappen*, whose Services had been of much Consequence to the Mission, and whose Character had been enriched with the Christian Virtues of Humility, Patience, Love, and Faithfulness. Application had been made to the Royal Mission College at *Copenhagen*, to send out to them another Missionary, and two Assistants. Though their Burden had increased, their Spirits were not cast down, and complaining was avoided, as it furnished no Help, and only made evils the heavier. The most tender fraternal Love bound the Missionaries together, so that they bore their Lot jointly and chearfully, and encouraging each other found themselves happy under it. Encouraging Letters from *European* Friends, and the Generosity of the Society to them, operated like a Balm on the Head and Heart. When a dark and thundering Cloud was visible on one Side, they looked for a more pleasing Prospect on the other, and they always found it, if they had Eyes to see, and a Heart to feel and to taste the Goodness of God our Saviour, and the many Benefits with which they were surrounded, and which He granted through the Means of their dear and worthy Benefactors.

In the Way of Recreation, and after the Fatigues of Business, they contemplated the Beauties of Nature, and having communicated some Observations to learned Friends in *Europe*, the Number of such Friends had augmented, and it was now admitted that there was an

Extension of * Science, as well as of Christianity, by means of the Missions.

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SVMMVM NVMEN!

QUUM Augustissimus et Gloriosissimus Imperator, Divus LEOPOLDVS. I. in benignissima et amplissima Sua Privilegiorum Academia Imperialis Naturæ Curiosorum constitutione, data Viennæ d. VII. Augusti MDCCCLXXXVII, inter alia quoque concesserit, ut omnes at singuli Præsides et Directores dictæ Academiæ, pro impertita iis Comitum Palatinorum Cæsareorum dignitate, etiam auctoritate polleant, idoneos Doctores, tam in Medicina et Philosophia, quam utroque Iurè, nec non Licentiatos in dictis Facultatibus, Magistros, ac Baccalaureos, creare, promovere, ordinare, constituere, et facere; atque ego, inclytæ Academiæ Imperialis Naturæ Curiosorum Præses, merita consideraverim, quæ Viri plurimum reverendi ac doctissimi, infra nominati, in veri dei cultu inter gentes Indicas propagando, et in studio et cultura cum historiæ et antiquitatum Indiarum, tum omnis historiæ et philosophiæ naturalis, præsertim rei herbariæ et zoologiæ, sibi comparaverunt, ac multis egregiis inventis, observationibusque in vulgus editis, comprobaverunt; æquum omnino duxi, ipsos dignitate academiæ, ex iis, quas Sacratissimus Gloriosissimæ memoriæ Imperator concessit, ornare. Quod itaque nunc, re ipsa, exsequor, et officio.

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CHRISTOPHORO SAMVELI IOHN

MISSIONARIO REGIO DANICO IN INDIA ORIENTALI SOCIETATI
NATVRÆ SCRVTATORVM BEROLINENSI ADScriptO

ET

IOANNI PETRO ROTTLER

MISSIONARIO REGIO DANICO IN INDIA ORIENTALI
DOCTORIS PHILOSOPHIÆ ET LL. AA. MAGISTRI GRADVM
PRIVILEGIA ET IMMUNITATES
EX DATA AB IMPERATORE AVCTORITATE

CONFERO

ATQVE COLLATAM HANC DIGNITATEM ACADEMIÆ IMPERIALIS
NATVRÆ
CVRIOSORVM SIGILLO MAIORI CONFIRMO.

Dabam Erlangæ d. XXX. Aprilis MDCCCLXXXV.

Adverting to Mr. Gerick, and the Missions both *English* and *Danish*, Mr. John produces the most honourable Testimony.—“May God keep this dear Brother.” (he writes,) “long in Life and Strength, as he is of great Assistance and Comfort to us, and a Guide, a Father, and a Friend to very many Children, Widows, and Orphans, and whose Patience, Disinterestedness, and Perseverance we all admire and endeavour to imitate. He and our dear Patriarch Mr. Swartz have been and are a great Blessing to this Country. We are all joined in fraternal Love, and assist each other on every Occasion. Much good has doubtless been done by the Missions, and will continue to flow from them, in proportion as the Missionaries prove themselves to be faithful Servants of Christ, and shew an ardent Zeal for the true Welfare of their Fellow-creatures. Let those who are either quite unacquainted with the Mission, or place their Happiness in Wealth, and sensual Pleasures, judge, speak, and write what they please, we trust that God Almighty never will forsake his Work, but continue his kind Providence, which hitherto has been so manifest, and ought to be acknowledged with Thanks and Gratitude.”

THE usual Stores and Presents of Books, Stationary, and other Articles of Accommodation, together with the Remittances, including a Gratuity of £.50 to each of the Missionaries, in addition to their Salaries, have been sent out this Year, through the continued Favor of the Honorable *East India* Company; to whom the SOCIETY thus publicly return their HEARTY THANKS..

MISSION

M I S S I O N

SCILLY ISLANDS.

IN the Abstract of Proceedings relative to the Society's Connexion with these Islands, published last Year, the Resolution to send a Missionary to St. Agnes Island, is mentioned, and a Hope expressed that the Society would soon be enabled to fix upon a proper Person for this Mission.—The Rev. *Frederick Croker*, B. A. of *Exeter College, Oxford*, offering himself a Candidate for this Appointment, and having produced full and satisfactory Testimonials in his Favour, from *Exeter College*, and likewise from several respectable Clergymen, Members of the Society, was appointed to this Mission in the Month of *July 1797*.—Mr. *Croker* had been ordained Deacon in the Year 1794, by the Lord Bishop of *Oxford*, and Priest in the following Year, by the Lord Bishop of *London*, and for some Time had been occupied as a Curate in *London*.—Some Circumstances preventing Mr. *Croker's* immediate Departure, he did not reach *Scilly* till the beginning of *December*, at which Time he informed the Mission Committee of his safe arrival there, of his polite Reception by the Commandant, Major *Bowen* of *St. Mary's Island*, and of his Intention to proceed without Delay, upon Duty, to *St. Agnes*.—In the Month of

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Feb. 1798, a Letter from Mr. C. states that the extreme roughness of the Weather had prevented his visiting *St. Agnes* sooner than the 24th of *December*, after which Time divine Service had been regularly performed there every Sunday once, and sometimes twice. It gave him much Satisfaction to find a decent small Church in good Repair, and a Congregation of between one and two hundred People, very attentive to the Service, and respectful to him on other Occasions.—He administered the Sacrament on the first Sunday of the new Year, but had few Communicants; the Number, however, he hoped would increase, by suitable Addresses to the Islanders upon the Subject.—The whole Population of the Island he estimated at about 240 Souls.—The Schoolmistress at *St. Agnes*, and the two at *St. Mary's*, he considered to be as well qualified for their Duty, as the Circumstances of the Place would lead one to expect; and he made it his Business to see that they discharged their Duty in a proper Manner, and to forward the Designs of the Society by catechizing the Children, and affording them other Kinds of religious Instruction himself.—At *St. Agnes* he found it absolutely impossible to procure any permanent Lodging; so that he was under a Necessity of getting Accommodation at *St. Mary's*, and there he could only get such as was very indifferent and incommodious. The Distance between *St. Mary's* Island, and *St. Agnes*, is a League, except in the fairest Weather, when it is safe to land on a Promontory, not more than a Mile from *St. Mary's*. In subsequent Letters, Mr. Croker mentions that he continued to be well, and numerously attended, by the People of his Charge, who manifested a strong Disposition to profit by the Benevolence of the Society, in providing for their religious Instruction, and that he had the firmest Confidence that much Good would be done by the Society's Benevolence. He also mentions that he had at length procured a Lodging one Mile from the Town of *St. Mary's*, where he hoped to live more suitable to his Situation, and comfortable to himself.

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From the Rev. Mr. *Evans*, Missionary at *Tresco*, several Letters have been received, in the Course of the Year, from which it appears that he has been uninterrupted, and punctual, in the Discharge of his Duties. He has regularly performed divine Service every Sunday, at one of the Off Islands, as well as at *Tresco*; and in the Course of each Week has visited one or more of the Islands, for the Purpose of examining the Children in the several Schools, and for the Discharge of any other occasional Duty. The considerable Packet of Books sent to Mr. *Evans*, by the Society, for the Use of the Schools, and for general Distribution, had furnished him with the Means of amply supplying the Scholars, and the People at large. The Society, anxious to accommodate their *Tresco* Missionary with a comfortable Place of Residence, as soon as possible, readily acceded to the Suggestion of the Mission Committee, to appropriate the Sum of 400 Guineas for the Building; and His Grace the Duke of *Leeds*, has readily agreed to grant any Piece of Land, not exceeding three Acres, and not already leased, which should be pointed out to him.—Some difficulties having occurred in the Progress of this Business that have not yet been removed, a Delay in it has been occasioned. In the mean While, and till such Time as it shall be completed, the Society have agreed to make some Allowance to Mr. *Evans*, to defray the Charge of his Lodgings.—The Committee, zealously disposed to see all in their Power done for the spiritual Welfare of these Islanders, frequently meet for consultation upon the Business; and the Society trust that this good Work, under the Blessing of Almighty God, will go on to prosper in their Hands.

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An ABSTRACT of the Proceedings
of the SOCIETY *for Promoting Christian
Knowledge*, for the Year 1797.

THE *Subscribing and Corresponding Members* of the SOCIETY in *Great-Britain and Foreign Parts*, are now upwards of 1800, of which Number, 113 *Subscribing Members*, and one *Corresponding Member*, were chosen since the Publication of the last Account; and 20 *Ladies* have likewise been admitted on the List of annual *Subscribers*.

BOOKS and PAPERS presented to the SOCIETY.

- 2 Copies of "A Sermon preached at an Anniversary of two Friendly Societies of Poor Tradesmen and Day-Labourers, at *Sunbury*, in *Middlesex*, by *James Cowe*, M.A. Vicar of *Sunbury*;" being a Present from the Author.
- 2 Copies of "An Answer to *Francis Eyre*, of *Warkworth*, Esq;" occasioned by his late Publication, entitled, "A Reply to the Rev. *Ralph Churton*, Rector of *Middleton Cheney*, &c." being a Present from the Author, the Rev. *Ralph Churton*.
- 12 Copies of "Reflections on the Sabbath; with an Examination of the Grounds of that partial Sanctification of it, which characterizes the present Age; By *Thomas Horne*, D.D. Vicar of *Wittington*, *Herefordshire*;" being a Present from the Author.

Books, &c. Continued.

- 16 Brought over.
- 12 Copies of "Deliverance from Enemies, a Ground for Thanksgiving. A Sermon, preached on the Day of General Thanksgiving, December 19th, 1797, in the Chapel of the *Asylum* for Female Orphans; by *William Agutter*, A.M. Chaplain and Secretary to the *Asylum*;" being a Present from the Author.
- 25 Copies of "The Dignity of the Ministerial Office, and the relative Duties of Minister and People. A Sermon, delivered in the Parish Church of *Stoke Newington*, in the County of *Middlesex*, on the Sunday next after Institution, November 26, 1797. By *George Gaskin*, D.D. Rector of that Parish, and of *St. Bene't Gracechurch*, in the City of *London*;" being a Present from the Author.
- 2 Copies of "A Postscript to an Answer to *Francis Eyre*, of *Warkworth*, Esq. by the Author of the Answer;" being a Present from the Rev. *Ralph Churton*.
- 184 Copies of "The Christian Scheme, or Gospel Method of Salvation fully opened, and clearly shewn." And
- 6 Copies of "A Sermon on the Attainment of Eternal Life;" both by Mr. *Nelson*.
- 100 Copies of "The Faith and Practice of a Christian, abridged from Bishop *Gastrell's* Institutes;" being a Present from the Author (Mr. *J. E. Dolben*.)
- 500 Copies of "A Catechism, that is to say, an Instruction regarding the Priesthood, and the Maintenance of the Christian Ministry;" being a Present from a Member of the Society.

Books, &c. Continued

- 845 Brought over.
- 24 Copies of "The Lord Bishop of *Durham's* Charge, delivered, in the Course of last Year, to the Clergy of that Diocese;" being a Present from his Lordship.
- 1 Copy of "Sermons, in one Volume, by the Rev. Mr. *Glaspe*;" being a Present from the Author.
- 1 Copy of "A Guide to the Church, in several Discourses; to which are added two Postscripts, the first, to those Members of the Church who occasionally frequent other Places of public Worship; the second, to the Clergy. Addressed to *William Wilberforce*, Esq. M. P. By the Rev. *Charles Daubeny*, L. L. B. a Presbyter of the Church of England;" being a Present from the Author.
- 25 Copies of "Edward, Lord Bishop of *Carlisle's* Sermon, preached before the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, Feb. 16th, 1798;" being a Present from that Society.
- 12 Copies of "The Christian Sabbath vindicated, in Opposition to Sceptical Indifference, and Infidel Practice; by the Rev. *R. P. Finch*, D. D. Prebendary of *Westminster*;" being a Present from the Author.
- 808 Total.

RECEIPTS *and* PAYMENTS of the from 30 March 1797,

RECEIPTS.

	£.	s.	d.
BALANCE due to the Society, as stated last Audit	1242	18	10
Benefactions and Legacies to the General Designs of the Society - - - - -	332	6	0
Subscriptions from the Members of the Society -	1832	0	0
Received of the Members for Packets -	907	14	10
Received of the Members, Arrears for Packets -	955	15	4
Dividends of Funds for the General Designs -	1293	4	6
Ditto received at the Accountant-General's Office	2818	10	6
Dividends of Funds to the <i>Manks</i> Impression -	42	0	0
Dividends and Benefactions towards the Support of a Mission and Schools in the Islands of <i>Scilly</i> -	26	1	6
Dividends of £. 100 in Trust for a Sacrament on Holy-days at <i>Boru</i> Church - - - - -	3	0	0
Benefactions towards the Support of the <i>East-India</i> Mission - - - - -	2	4	4
Dividends and Rent for Mr. <i>Belke's</i> Charity -	53	18	0
Interest on Mr. <i>Scott's</i> Legacy - - - - -	5	12	0
Ditto on a Mercer's Bond for four Years to April 1797	12	0	0
	<u>£. 9527</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>10</u>

Besides the Legacy of *John Marratt*, Esq. of
Clewer, near *Windsor*, of £. 300 O. S. S. Ann. }

SOCIETY for Promoting Christian Knowledge,
to 22 March, 1798.

P A Y M E N T S.

£. s. d.

PAID Messrs. <i>Rivington's</i> for Books and Packets			
sent to the Members	3679	3	3
Paid Ditto on Account of Stores	370	1	4
Paper and Printing for the Anniversary Sermon,			
with an Account of the Society and other Books	290	19	8
Expences of the Anniversary Meeting of the Charity-			
Children, June 1, 1797	50	0	0
Salaries and Presents to the <i>English</i> and <i>Danish</i>			
Missionaries in the <i>East-Indies</i> ; Books, &c.	1565	4	7
Expences on Account of the <i>Scilly</i> Mission	261	0	0
Boxes for Packing, Postage, Stationary Wares,			
House Repairs, dispersing the Anniversary Ser-			
mon, Stamps for Receipts, Insurance, and	217	15	11
other incidental Expences			
Land-Tax, Parish Dues, and Salaries to the Officers			
of the Society	426	14	3
Paid on Account of Mr. <i>Belke's</i> Charity for Books	183	6	0
Annuity to the Rev. Mr. <i>Triebner</i> , late Missionary			
from the Society, to <i>Ebenezer</i> in <i>Georgia</i>	50	0	4
Paid towards the Morning Sacrament at <i>Bow</i>			
Church for two Years	6	0	0
Paid on Account of a <i>Galic</i> Translation of the			
<i>Christian Soldier</i>	36	5	0
Paid on Account of the new Impression of the			
<i>Welsh</i> Bible	500	0	0
Purchase of 2036 £. 9s. 3 per Cent Consols	1000	0	0
Balance due to the Society, in the Hands of the			
Treasurers	890	15	6

 £. 9527 5 10

N. B. Arrears remaining due from Sub-			
scribing Members amount to about	630	0	0
Arrears for Books 1797, and prior	806	4	2
Ditto at the Audit 1798	1105	0	2
Total Amount of Arrears	£. 2541	4	4

BOOKS and PAPERS Bought or Printed by Order
of the SOCIETY.

3500 Copies of the Rev. Dr. John Law's Sermon
preached at the Anniversary Meeting, &c.
3500 Copies of the Origin and Designs of the Society.
7500 ——— Psalms for the Use of the Charity Children.
424 Copies of Directions for the devout Use of the
Common-Prayer, in *Octavo*.
8923 Ditto, *Duodecimo*.
5000 Copies of Forms of Prayer to be used at Sea.
10000 *Quarto* Sheets on Psalmody.
700 Copies of the Rev. Mr. Owen's Charge to the
Missionaries.

39547 Total

872 PACKETS sent to Subscribing and Corre-
sponding Members ; consisting of

Bibles.	—	—	—	5721
New Testaments and Psalters.	—	—	—	8775
Common Prayers.	—	—	—	9399
Other Bound Books.	—	—	—	10606
Small Tracts—Some in Half Binding—Others Stitched.	—	—	—	66691

In all 101192

Casual

Casual BENEFACTIONS and LEGACIES

to the General Designs of the SOCIETY, from
30th March 1797, to the 22^d March, 1798.

		A.		
		£.	s.	d.
1797	June 29. ADAM Askew, Esq; at Admission	1	1	0
	Dec. 14. Mrs. M. E. Arden, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Jan. 11. Mr. Jasper Atkinson, at Admission	5	5	0
		B.		
1797	May 13. Lady Bagot, at Admission	1	1	0
	June 8. Marchioness of Bath, at Admission	1	1	0
	14. Miss C. Blackburne, at Admission	2	2	0
	27. Mrs. M. Browne, at Admission	1	1	0
	July 12. Miss Elizabeth Bentham, at Adm.	1	1	0
	14. W. P. Bosville, Esq; at Admission	2	2	0
	Aug. 11. John Buxton, Esq; -	2	2	0
	Sept. 13. Rev. Thomas Brand, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Jan. 9. Rev. William Barker, at Admission	1	1	0
	Feb. 9. Rev. John Brand, at Admission	1	1	0
	12. Rev. Thomas Briggs, at Admission	1	1	0
	Mar. 1. John Bacon, Esq; at Admission	1	1	0
3		Carried over	23	2 0

£. s. d.
 Brought over 23 2 0

C.

1797	May 30.	Thomas Clarke, Esq; at Admission	2	2	0
	July 12.	Hon. Mrs. Cadogan, at Admission	1	1	0
	Aug. 21.	Rev. Dr. Cleaver, at Admission	1	1	0
	Sept. 8.	Rev. R. Coleman, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Jan. 1.	Rev. Dr. Craven, Master of St. John's Coll. Camb. at Adm.	2	2	0
	Feb. 13.	Francis Chassereau, Esq; at Adm.	1	1	0
	20.	Rev. Robert Croft, at Admission	1	1	0
	Mar. 13.	Rev. ——— Craster, at Admission	1	1	0

D.

1797	May 4.	Rev. Richard Darke, at Admission	1	1	0
	June 15.	Rev. James Dowland, at Admission	1	1	0
	Sept. 26.	Rev. Edw. Dickenson, at Admission	1	1	0
	Dec. 5.	Mrs. Daubuz, at Admission	-	1	1
1798	Mar. 19.	J. S. Daintrey, Esq; at Admission	1	1	0
	20.	Robert Drummond, Esq; at Adm.	3	3	0
		A. B. Drummond, Esq; at Adm.	3	3	0
		John Drummond, Esq; at Adm.	3	3	0
		Charles Drummond, Esq; at Adm.	3	3	0

E.

1797	June 23.	Rev. William England, at Admission	1	1	0
	Aug. 25.	Mrs. Ewbank, at Admission	-	1	1
	Sept. 28.	Mrs. Evans, at Admission	-	1	1
	Nov. 1.	Rev. James Evans, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Jan. 24.	Rev. Pigott Edgmond, at Admission	1	1	0

F.

1797	April 4.	Rev. Daniel Finch, at Admission	1	1	0
	June 15.	Miss Margaret Frank, at Admission	1	1	0
	Nov. 17.	A Friend to the Society	-	5	5
1798	Feb. 5.	Rev. J. T. Flesher, at Admission	1	1	0
	Mar. 15.	Davey Fearon, Esq; at Admission	1	1	0

Carried over - 66 3 0

Brought over £. s. d.
66 3 0

G.

1797	June 14.	Hon. Miss Grimstone, at Admission	1	1	0
	15.	Mrs. Gratwicke, at Admission	-	3	3
		Mrs. Gally, at Admission	-	1	1

H.

1797	May 5.	Miss Charlotte Hussey, at Admission	1	1	0
	June 17.	Mr. John Hingston, Jun. at Adm.	1	1	0
	July 20.	H. Hobbouse, Esq; at Admission	1	1	0
	Aug. 16.	John Holmes, Esq; at Admission	1	1	0
	Sept. 5.	Miss E. G. Harrison, -	1	1	0
	Oct. 23.	Rev. Robert Hodgson, at Admission	1	1	0
	Nov. 16.	Rev. William Haggitt, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Jan. 31.	Rev. Richard Hele, at Admission	1	1	0

J.

1797	June 15.	J. C. Fervoice, Esq; -	5	5	0
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K.

1798	Jan. 25.	Mr. H. Kemp, at Admission -	1	1	0
	Feb. 2.	Rev. Henry Kett, at Admission	1	1	0

L.

1797	April 4.	Rev. Thomas Leigh, at Admission	1	1	0
	28.	Legacy of the late Rev. Edward Vaughan - - -	10	10	0
	July 5.	Rev. F. Lundy, at Admission	1	1	0
	Oct. 31.	Legacy of the late Rev. Samuel Disney of Halsted, Essex, Stamp deducted	49	10	0

Carried over - 149 5 0

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			£.	s.	d.
		Brought over -	149	5	0
1797	Oct. 31.	Legacy of £. 100. of the late Rev. John Parkhurst, of Epsom, Stamp deducted	94	0	0
	Dec. 5.	Rev. John Longe, at Admission	1	1	0
		Rev. P. Lathbury, at Admission	1	1	0
	14.	L. D.	10	0	0
1798	Jan. 9.	Rev. Samuel Locke, at Admission	1	1	0
	Feb. 20.	Legacy of the late Mr. John Hill, of Wallasey, Cheshire -	5	5	0
		M.			
1797	June 15.	Lady R. Manners, at Admission	1	1	0
		Mrs. May, at Admission -	1	1	0
	Nov. 1.	Rev. J. Morres, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Feb. 15.	Rev. T. C. May, at Admission	1	1	0
		O.			
1797	July 5.	Rev. Owen Owen, at Admission	2	2	0
		P,			
1797	May 2.	Rev. Dr. Powys, at Admission	1	1	0
	July 8.	Mrs F. D. Pyndar, at Admission	1	1	0
		Rev. Dr. Prosser, at Admission	1	1	0
	19.	Rev. William Parry, at Admission	1	1	0
	Oct. 26.	Edward Parry, Esq; at Admission	2	2	0
	Dec. 5.	Lieut. Col. Pownal, at Admission	1	1	0
1798	Jan. 9.	Hon. Mrs. Pole, at Admission	1	1	0
	Feb. 7.	Lady Maria Price, at Admission	1	1	0
	13.	Mrs. Susan Philips, at Admission	1	1	0
		R.			
1797	May 30.	Rev. William Richardson, at Adm.	1	1	0
		Rev. John Robinson, at Admission	1	1	0
		Carried over -	280	11	0

					£.	s.	d.
		Brought over			280	11	0
1797	June 19.	W. Rawson, Esq; at Admission			1	1	0
	Sept. 13.	John Richardson, Esq; at Adm.			1	1	0
1798	Feb. 27.	Rev. James Rothwell, at Adm.			1	1	0
1797	May 11.	Rev. Edward Salter, at Admission			1	1	0
	30.	Thomas Sparkes, Esq; at Adm.			1	1	0
		Rev. Thelwall Salisbury, at Adm.			1	1	0
	July 27.	Rev. James Spirling, at Adm.			1	1	0
1798	Jan. 16.	C. S. Strong, Esq. at Adm.			1	1	0
		19. Rev. W. E. Sims, at Admission			1	1	0
		31. Lady Stapleton, at Admission			1	1	0
1797	May 3.	Rev. John Tucker, at Admission			1	1	0
	July 5.	Rev. W. Trevelyan, at Adm.			1	1	0
	Dec. 21.	W. B. Trevelyan, Esq; at Adm.			1	1	0
1798	Jan. 16.	Most Noble Marquis of Townsend at Admission			2	2	0

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1797	May 12.	A Person unknown, by the Rev. Mr. Gisborne,			4	4	0
	30.	A Lady unknown, by Mr. Tilbury			15	0	0
	July 26.	A Lady unknown, by the Rev. Mr. Filmer			2	2	0
	Aug. 5.	A Person unknown, by the Rev. Mr. Mason			2	2	0
1798	Feb. 20.	A Lady unknown, by the Rev. John Farrer			1	1	0

V.

1797	April 25.	Rev. Mr. Van Mildert, at Adm.			1	1	0
1798	Jan. 2.	Rev. J. S. Vigor, at Admission			1	1	0

Carried over - 322 17 0

£. s. d.

		Brought over			322	17	0
1797	May 24.	Rev. John Wooll, at Admission	1	1	0	0	0
	30.	Baron Wolf, at Admission	-	2	2	0	0
		Rev. Edward Ward, at Adm.	1	1	0	0	0
	Aug. 1.	Rev. William Whitelocke, at Adm.	1	1	0	0	0
	Dec. 6.	Mifs Ann White, at Admission	1	1	0	0	0
1798	Jan. 23.	Rev. Edward Ward, at Admission	1	1	0	0	0
	Mar. 28.	Rev. G. Woolley, at Admission	1	1	0	0	0
	21.	Rev. Thomas Williams, at Adm.	1	1	0	0	0

Total Benefactions and Legacies £. 332 6 0

Dividends to the Impression of the Holy Bible, and other Religious Books, in the English Language of the Isle of Mann, from 30th March, 1797, to the Audit, 22nd March, 1798.

1798 Mar. 22. Twelve Months Dividend on £. 1100
New Grants and Annuities, due at 38 0 0

Twelve Months Dividend on £. 300
Old Grants and Annuities, due at 9 0 0

£. 47 0 0

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BENEFACTIONS to the *Protestant Mission in the East-Indies*, from 30th March, 1797, to the SOCIETY'S *Audit*, 22^d March, 1798.

		£.	s.	d.
1797	June 22. Rev. Ralph Bridge	1	13	10
1798	Jan. 24. Mrs. Watson	0	10	6
		£.	2	4 4

Besides the Sum of £. 64. 14 4, collected in the German Congregations, and paid into the Hands of the Secretary by the Rev. Mr. Ubele; which Sum the Secretary immediately remitted to *India*, with other Remittances then about to be made from the Funds of the Society.

DIVIDENDS to the *Impression of the HOLY BIBLE, and other Religious Books, in the Vulgar Language of the Isle of Mann*, from 30th March, 1797, to the *Audit*, 22^d March, 1798.

		£.	s.	d.
1798	Mar. 22. Twelve Months Dividend on £. 1100	}	33	0 0
	New South Sea Annuities, due at			
	Christmas 1797 - -			
	Twelve Months Dividends on £. 300	}	9	0 0
	Old South Sea Annuities, due at			
	Michaelmas 1797			
		£.	42	0 0

**BENEFACTIONS and DIVIDENDS to the Establishment
of a Mission in the Scilly Islands, from the Audit
30th March, 1797, to the Audit 22^d March,
1798.**

1798 Mar. 22. **T**WELVE Months Dividend on
£. 750 N. S. S. A. due at Christ-
mas 1797
TWELVE Months Dividend on £. 119
4s. 3 per Cent. due at Christ-
mas 1797, being the joint Bene-
faction of the late Rev. T. Bentham,
and Mrs. Philippa Bentham, of
Stockport, Cheshire

£. 15 7 6
22 10 0
3 11 6
£. 26 1 6

The SOCIETY hereby desire all the foregoing Benefactors to their
several Designs to accept of their most hearty Thanks.

The Reverend Daniel Rogers, M. A. Missionary
at Tregu
The Rev. Frederick G. B. A. Missionary
at St. Agnes

Besides a Grant of £. 50 to each of the Missionaries
in India

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At a GENERAL MEETING held TUESDAY,
NOVEMBER 7th, 1797,

THE Business recommended to the Board at the last Meeting
of the COMMITTEE being taken into consideration, it was

RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY,

THAT the Rev. *Septimus Hodson*, a Member of this Society, has
by his late immoral Conduct, brought a Scandal on the Clerical
Character, deeply wounded the Interests of Christianity, and given
just Offence to all those who are engaged in promoting it.

THAT this Society consider him no longer worthy to be connected
with them.

THAT he be therefore forthwith expelled.

THAT he be not called upon for any Arrears of his annual Sub-
scription, as a late Member of this Society, and that no Payment of
such Arrears, or for any Packets of Books, if tendered on his Part,
be accepted.

THAT a Copy of these Resolutions be transmitted to him, as
soon as conveniently may be, by the Secretary.

RESOLVED that these RESOLUTIONS be printed and published in
the Society's next annual Account of their Proceedings.

The Names of the Missionaries, employed by the SOCIETY, with the certain Annual *Salaries paid to them respectively.

In the EAST-INDIES.

T HE Reverend <i>Christian William Gerické</i> , Missionary at <i>Madras</i>	50
The Reverend <i>Christian Frederick Swartz</i> , Mis- sionary at <i>Tirutshinapally</i> and <i>Tanjore</i>	50
The Rev. <i>Christian Poble</i> , Missionary at <i>Tirutshinapally</i>	50
The Reverend <i>Joseph Daniel Janicke</i> , Missionary at <i>Palamcotta</i>	50
The Reverend <i>John Caspar Kolboff</i> , Missionary at <i>Tanjore</i>	50
The Reverend <i>Charles William Pazold</i> , Missionary at <i>Madras</i>	50
The Reverend <i>William Toby Ringeltaube</i> , Mission- ary at <i>Calcutta</i>	50
The Reverend <i>Immanuel Gottfried Holzberg</i> , Missi- onary at <i>Madras</i>	50

In the ISLANDS of SCILLY.

The Reverend <i>David Evans</i> , M. A. Missionary at <i>Tresco</i>	100
The Rev. <i>Frederick Croker</i> , B. A. Missionary at <i>St. Agnes</i>	100

* Besides a Gratuity of £. 50 to each of the Missionaries in *India*.

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The proper FORM by which any Benefaction may be given to the Designs of the Society, to prevent any Doubt or Mistake, is as follows:

ITEM, I A. B. *do hereby give and bequeath unto*
C. D. of _____ *and E. F. of*
the Sum of _____
to be raised and paid by and out of all my ready Money,
Plate, Goods, and Personal Effects, which by Law I
may, or can charge with the Payment of the same,
(and not out of any Part of my Lands, Tenements, or
Hereditaments) upon Trust, and to the Intent that
they, or either of them, do pay the same to the Trea-
surer or Treasurers for the Time being, of a Voluntary
Society, commonly called or known by the Name of,
THE SOCIETY FOR PROMOTING
CHRISTIAN KNOWLEDGE, *which*
first met about the latter End of the Year 1698; and
now do, or lately did, hold their Weekly Meetings at
their House in Bartlett's Buildings, Holborn: Which
said Sum of
I desire may be applied towards carrying on the Chari-
table Designs of the said Society.

N. B. The Variation in this Form of a LEGACY from that formerly printed, is made necessary; on Account of some unhappy Mistakes in Wills; by which some Legacies have been lost to the Society, and the good Intentions of the Testators have been entirely defeated; because the Sums bequeathed to the Society have been ordered to be raised, or paid out of Lands, or real Estates, which is not now permitted by Law.

•• If the Benefactor is pleased to restrain his Charity to any particular Branch of the SOCIETY'S Designs, he may add, either *in Great-Britain, the East-Indies, the Scilly Islands, the Munks, or Welch* Impression of the Holy Scriptures.

A
L I S T
OF THE
BISHOPS, DEANS, &c.

Who have Preached at the
Yearly Meeting of the CHILDREN Educated
in the CHARITY SCHOOLS, in and about
the Cities of *London* and *Westminster*.

Anno

- 1704 THE Reverend Dr. *Willis*, Dean of *Lincoln*.
 1705 The Rev. Dr. *Stanhope*, Dean of *Canterbury*.
 1706 The Rev. Dr. *Kennet*, Archdeacon of *Huntingdon*.
 1707 The Reverend Dr. *Gastrel*, Canon of *Christ-Church*,
Oxford.
 1708 The Reverend Dr. *Moss*.
 1709 The Reverend Dr. *Bradford*.
 1710 The Reverend Dr. *Smalridge*.
 1711 The Reverend Dr. *Snape*.
 1712 The Reverend and Right Honourable *George Lord*
Willoughby de Broke.
 1713 The Lord Bishop of *Chester*, Sir *William Dawes*.
 1714 The Lord Bishop of *London*, Dr. *Robinson*.
 1715 The Lord Bishop of *Lincoln*, Dr. *Wake*.
 1716 The Lord Bishop of *Lincoln*, Dr. *Gibson*.
 1717 The Lord Bishop of *Salisbury*, Dr. *Talbot*.
 1718 The Reverend Dr. *Lupton*, Prebendary of *Durham*.
 1719 The Reverend Dr. *Sherlock*, Dean of *Chichester*.

1720

Anno

- 1720 The Reverend Dr. *Knight*.
- 1721 The Reverend Dr. *Marshall*.
- 1722 The Lord Bishop of *Bristol*, Dr. *Boulter*.
- 1723 The Reverend Dr. *Waterland*, Master of *Magdalen College, Cambridge*.
- 1724 The Lord Bishop of *Sodor and Mann*, Dr. *Wilson*.
- 1725 The Reverend Dr. *Berriman*.
- 1726 The Reverend Dr. *Mangey*, Prebendary of *Durham*.
- 1727 The Reverend Dr. *Watson*.
- 1728 The Reverend Dr. *Talden*, Prebendary of *Chulmeigh, Devon*.
- 1729 The Reverend Dr. *Rogers*.
- 1730 The Lord Bishop of *Chester*, Dr. *Peploe*.
- 1731 The Lord Bishop of *Glocester*, Dr. *Wilcox*.
- 1732 The Reverend Dr. *Stebbing*.
- 1733 The Lord Bishop of *Peterborough*, Dr. *Clavering*.
- 1734 The Reverend Dr. *Heylyn*.
- 1735 The Reverend Dr. *Pearce*.
- 1736 The Reverend Dr. *Denne*, Archdeacon of *Rocheſter*.
- 1737 The Reverend Dr. *Thomas*.
- 1738 The Reverend Dr. *Conybeare*, Dean of *Chriſt-Church, Oxon*.
- 1739 The Lord Bishop of *St. David's*, Dr. *Clagett*.
- 1740 The Reverend Dr. *Thomas*, Dean of *Peterborough*.
- 1741 The Lord Bishop of *St. Aſaph*, Dr. *Maddox*.
- 1742 The Reverend Dr. *Trapp*.
- 1743 The Lord Bishop of *Oxford*, Dr. *Secker*.
- 1744 The Lord Bishop of *Bangor*, Dr. *Hutton*.
- 1745 The Lord Bishop of *Bristol*, Dr. *Butler*.
- 1746 The Rev. Dr. *Lavington*, Reſidentiary of *St. Paul's*.
- 1747 The Lord Bishop of *St. David's*, Dr. *Trevor*.
- 1748 The Reverend Dr. *Bearcroft*.
- 1749 The Reverend Mr. *Squire*, Archdeacon of *Bath*.
- 1750 The Rev. Mr. *Yardley*, Archdeacon of *Cardigan*.
- 1751 The Rev. Dr. *Church*, Prebendary of *St. Paul's*.
- 1752 The Rev. Dr. *Chapman*, Archdeacon of *Sudbury*.
- 1753 The Lord Bishop of *St. Aſaph*, Dr. *Drummond*.
- 1754 The Reverend Dr. *Cobden*, Archdeacon of *London*.

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- 1755 The Lord Bishop of *Norwich*, Dr. *Hayter*.
- 1756 The Rev. Dr. *Nicolls*, Master of the *Temple*.
- 1757 The Rev. Mr. *Glocester Ridley*.
- 1758 The Rev. Dr. *Dodwell*, Canon Residentiary of *Salum*.
- 1759 The Rev. Dr. *Burton*, Fellow of *Eton* College.
- 1760 The Rev. Dr. *Ashton*, Fellow of *Eton* College.
- 1761 The Rev. Mr. *Negus*.
- 1762 The Lord Bishop of *Litchfield* and *Covenary*, Dr.
Fred. Cornwallis.
- 1763 The Rev. Dr. *Delany*, Dean of *Down*.
- 1764 The Rev. Sir *Peter Rivers*, Bart.
- 1765 The Lord Bishop of *Bristol*, Dr. *Newton*.
- 1766 The Rev. Dr. *Tucker*, Dean of *Glocester*.
- 1767 The Lord Bishop of *Chester*, Dr. *Keene*.
- 1768 The Rev. Dr. *Worthington*, Prebendary of *York*.
- 1769 The Lord Bishop of *Norwich*, Dr. *Yonge*.
- 1770 The Rev. Dr. *Richard Eyre*.
- 1771 The Rev. Dr. *James Hallifax*.
- 1772 The Rev. Dr. *Bentham*, Regius Professor of Divinity,
Oxford.
- 1773 The Lord Bishop of *Lincoln*, Dr. *Green*.
- 1774 The Rev. Dr. *Finch*.
- 1775 The Rev. Dr. *Ogle*, Dean of *Winchester*.
- 1776 The Rev. Dr. *Kaye*, Sub-Almoner to His Majesty.
- 1777 The Lord Bishop of *St. Asaph*, Dr. *Shipley*.
- 1778 The Rev. Dr. *Hamilton*, Archdeacon of *Colchester*.
- 1779 The Rev. Dr. *Robert Markham*.
- 1780 The Lord Bishop of *Oxford*, Dr. *Butler*.
- 1781 The Rev. Dr. *Parker*, Rector of *St. James's, West-*
minster.
- 1782 The Lord Bishop of *Chester*, Dr. *Porteus*.
- 1783 The Rev. Dr. *Horne*, Dean of *Canterbury*.
- 1784 The Rev. Dr. *Vincent*, Sub-Almoner to His Majesty.
- 1785 The Lord Bishop of *Ely*, Dr. *Yorke*.
- 1786 The Lord Bishop of *Peterborough*, Dr. *Hinchcliffe*.
- 1787 The Rev. Dr. *Chelsum*, Rector of *Droxford, Hants*.

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- 1788 The Lord Bishop of *Norwich*, Dr. *Bagot*.
- 1789 The Lord Bishop of *St. Asaph*, Dr. *Halifax*.
- 1790 The Lord Bishop of *Winchester*, Dr. *North*.
- 1791 The Rev. Dr. *Glaspe*, Chaplain in Ord. to his Majesty.
- 1792 The Lord Bishop of *Bangor*, Dr. *Warren*.
- 1793 The Lord Bishop of *St. David's*, Dr. *Horsley*.
- 1794 The Rev. Mr. *Pott*, Archdeacon of *St. Alban's*.
- 1795 The Lord Bishop of *Bristol*, Dr. *Courtenay*.
- 1796 The Rev. Dr. *Huntingford*, Warden of *Winchester* College.
- 1797 The Rev. Dr. *Law*, Archdeacon of *Rochester*.
- 1798 The Rev. Dr. *Whitfeld*, Rector of *St. Margaret, Lothbury*.

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